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Annual Report
OF THE
Town of Parsonsfield
1909 - '10



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.. Annual Report ..
OF THE
Municipal Officers
OF THE
Town of Parsonsfield

For the Year ending
February 20, 1910



TOWN OFFICERS, 1909.

Town Clerk:

ALONZO J. MOULTON.

*Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor:*LEONARD C. LEAVITT. LINWOOD E. BURBANK.
WILLIAM W. BURBANK.*Treasurer:*

GEO. E. DAVIS.

*Superintending School Committee:*CHARLES W. DAVIS. PELEG W. BENTON.
E. C. BURNHAM.*Agent:*

J. MERRILL LORD.

*Road Commissioners:*A. N. EDGECOMB, North Section.
F. H. NUTTER, West Section.
C. A. DEARBORN, East Section.*Auditor:*

FRANK W. TOWN.

Collector:

P. W. BENTON.

Constable:

C. L. WEEMAN.

Board of Health:

ANSEL S. DAVIS. F. G. DEVEREUX.

*Truant Officers:*C. E. VARNEY. FOREST P. LEAVITT.
S. M. BOOTHBY.

Warrant

STATE OF MAINE

York, s s.

To Charles L. Weeman, a Constable in the Town of Parsonsfield.

GREETING

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Parsonsfield qualified by law to vote in town affairs to assemble at the Town House in said town on the fourteenth day of March A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

- 1st To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- 2d To choose a Clerk for the year ensuring.
- 3d To hear and act on the reports of the town officers for the past year.
- 4th To choose Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor for the year ensuring.
- 5th To choose a Treasurer for the year ensuring.
- 6th To choose a Treasurer of the Piper Fund.
- 7th To choose a Superintending School committee for three years.
- 8th To choose a Town Agent for the year ensuring.
- 9th To choose an Auditor of accounts for the year ensuring.
- 10th To choose a Road Commissioner of commissioners for the year ensuring.
- 11th To choose a Director of the Piper Fund for three years.
- 12th To choose all other necessary town officers.
- 13th To raise a sum of money for the support of schools.

14th To raise a sum of money to purchase school books and supplies.

15th To raise a sum of money for building and repairing highways and bridges.

16th To raise a sum of money for breaking down snow in winter of 1910-1911.

17th To raise a sum of money for the repair of school houses.

18th To raise a sum of money for Memorial services in Parsonsfield.

19th To raise a sum of money for the Support of the Poor and to defray all other town charges and expenses.

20th To see if the town will vote to instruct the Superintending School committee to contract with Parsensfield Seminary situated in said town, to appropriate and expend all money available for Free High School purposes, for instruction of scholars in town at said Seminary.

21st To see if the town will vote "Yes" or "No" upon the adoption of the provisions of chapter 112 of the Public laws of Maine, for the year 1907 as amended by chapter 69 Public laws of 1909 relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to state aid for highways for the year 1910.

22d To see if the town will raise and appropriate in addition to the amounts regularly raised and appropriated for the care of highways and bridges, the sum of \$400 being the maximum amount the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of chapter 112 of the Public laws of Maine for the year 1907 as amended by chapter 69 of the Public laws of 1909.

23d To see what action the town will take in regard to allowing a discount on all taxes paid before July 1st 1910.

24th To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to be expended for lighting the streets of Kezar Falls.

25th To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to repair Town Farm buildings.

26th To see what action the town will take in regard to selling the timber on Town Farm.

27th To see what action the town will take in regard to the destruction of the Brown Tail Moth on the highways as provided by law.

28th To see if the town will vote to accept as a public highway, a piece of road leading from a point on the road leading from Parsonsfield to S. Parsonsfield to a point on the New County road, so called.

29th To see if the town will vote to raise \$150 to pay for the use of six hydrants, for fire protection, at Kezar Falls village.

30th To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to lay out a road from Kezar Falls to North Parsonsfield by way of the shore of Ossipee River to a point near Corporals Brook, so called, and thence up the valley to some point between S. G. Pease' store and the Seminary.

31st To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to ascertain if a suitable lot for a Town House can be obtained at North Parsonsfield, to get estimates of the cost of a suitable town building with lot to be located at said North Parsonsfield, and to report on same at a special town meeting at which all voters of the town can be present.

32d To see if the town will vote to pay G. F. Chapman for use of ox cart and wheels on State Road for the year 1908.

33d To see if the town will raise the sum of \$25.00 for the benefit of Parsonsfield Public Library.

34th To see if the town will vote to pay amount expended on highways by Road Commissioners above appropriation summer 1909, estimated \$60.00.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the Town House on Saturday, March 12th, 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and on March 14th, at 8 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Parsonsfield this fifth day of March A. D. 1910.

L. C. LEAVITT	} <i>Selectmen</i>
L. E. BURBANK	
W. W. BURBANK	
	<i>of</i>
	<i>Parsonsfield</i>

Treasurer's Report

Dr.

Rec. from former Treas	\$2,322 38
" " State Treas. for Free High School	125 00
" " State Treas. for refunded dog licenses, 1908	103 27
" " A. J. Moulton, Town Clerk, dog license 1909	62 00
" " A. J. Moulton, Town Clerk, dog licenses 1909	45 00
" " I. M. Stanley, auctioneer's license	2 00
" " J. M. Lord, Treas. Income Piper Fund	100 00
" " State Treas for Free High School	125 00
" " J. M. Lord, Treas. Income Piper Fund	75 00
" " J. M. Lord, Treas., Income Piper Fund	100 00
" " A. J. Moulton, Town Clerk, dog licenses 1909	43 00
" " Town of Newfield, tuition	12 50
" " Supt of schools, damage to books	10
" " Town of Cornish, tuition	15 00
" " for tax deed (Alice Bennett)	23 55
" " A. J. Moulton, Town Clerk, dog licenses 1909	4 00
" " State Treas., State pensions	48 00
" " L. C. Leavitt for calf (Town Farm)	7 00
" " State Treas., State road	279 61
" " State Treas., damage to domestic animals	39 00
" " L. C. Leavitt for oxen (Town Farm)	165 00
" " L. E. Burbank for cows (Town Farm)	30 00
" " State Treas., Railroad & Tel. tax	24
" " State Treas., State pensions	48 00
" " State Treas., Free High school	125 00
" " L. E. Burbank for cattle (Town Farm)	160 00
" " L. E. Burbank for cattle (Town Farm)	143 00
" " L. E. Burbank, 1 pr. steers (Town Farm)	120 00
" " L. E. Burbank for 1 calf (Town Farm)	6 00
" " L. E. Burbank, produce (Town Farm)	11 96
" " Town of Newfield, tuition	22 50
" " L. C. Leavitt for cow (Town Farm)	30 00
" " L. C. Leavitt for calf (Town Farm)	6 50

"	"	L. C. Leavitt for cow (Town Farm)	35 00
"	"	Town of Cornish, tuition	30 00
"	"	State for cow killed on (Town Farm)	25 00
"	"	Treas. Ministerial and School Fund	40 00
"	"	State Treas., School and Mill Fund, 1909	843 26
"	"	Supt. of schools, supplies	26
"	"	Middle Road Cemetery Fund, income	7 70
"	"	J. M. Lord, Treas., Income Piper Fund	200 00
"	"	Interest on town funds	104 69
"	"	P. W. Benton, Coll. bal. 1908 tax	39 56
"	"	P. W. Benton, Coll. on 1909 tax	8,301 69
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			\$14,026 77

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Paid	State Treas. on State tax	\$103 27
"	" Pension, Geo. E. Perkins, 1st qr.	9 00
"	" Pension, Geo. E. Perkins, 2d, qr.	9 00
"	" Pension, Emily Day, 1st and 2d qrs.	12 00
"	" Treas. dog licenses	150 00
"	" Treas. dog licenses	4 00
"	" Pensions, Geo. E. Perkins, 3d qr.	9 00
"	" Pensions, Emily Day, 3d qr.	6 00
"	" Pensions, Cyrus E. Brown, 1st, 2d & 3d qrs	27 00
"	County Treas. and county tax	268 89
"	State Treas. on State tax	48 24
"	" Pensions, Geo. E. Perkins, 4th qr.	9 00
"	" Pensions, Emily Day, 4th qr.	6 00
"	" Pensions, Cyrus E. Brown, 4th qr.	9 00
"	County Treas. bal County tax	268 88
"	State Treas. bal. State tax	1,235 43
"	Town Orders	10,286 55
	Balance	<hr/> \$1,565 51
Total		\$14,026 77

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have examined the accounts of the Town officers and finding them correct, respectfully submit the following report,
F. W. TOWNE, Auditor,

Selectmen and Assessor's Report

Valuation of 1909.

Real estate, resident	\$273,005 00
Real estate, non resident	66,565 00
Personal estate, resident	63,695 00
Personal estate, non resident	19,205 00
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	\$422,470 00

Assessments.

State tax	\$1,386 94	
County tax	537 77	
Schools	1,500 00	
Highways and bridges	1,500 00	
Bucking down snow	800 00	
Text books	150 00	
Repairs on school houses	150 00	
Support of poor and other expenses	1,500 00	
State road	76 50	
Lighting streets of Kezar Falls	100 00	
Memorial	20 00	
Guide posts	75 00	
Repairs on Town house	100 00	
Brown tail moth	100 00	
Parsonfield public library	25 00	
Overlay	303 36	
Supplementary tax	17 17	
	<hr/>	\$8,311 74
Number of polls taxed		310
Poll tax		\$2 75
Rate of taxation		\$0.0177

Resources.

Cash in treasury	\$1,565 51	
Due from Rufus Allen, board of child	26 50	
Due from P. W. Benton, Coll. 1909	34 55	
	<hr/>	\$1,626 56

Liabilities.

Outstanding orders	\$500 83	
Estimated bills Summer highway, 1909	40 00	
Due Rufus Allen and wife	162 00	
	<hr/>	\$702 83
Excess of resources over liabilities		<hr/> \$913 73

Totals of all Orders Drawn

Free High school fund	\$ 850
Schools	2,139 54
Text books and supplies	144 90
Repairs on school house	301 07
Town officers	660 75
Town Farm	1,503 49
Paupers not on Farm	512 68
Highway, summer 1908	116 11
Highway, summer 1909	1,349 08
Highway, winter 1908-09	138 28
Highway, winter 1907-08	11 90
Highway, winter 1909-10	591 96
State road, 1909	509 11
Memorial	20 00
Repairs on Town house	94 25
Guide posts	64 33
Brown tail moths	62 54
Kezar Falls lights	100 00
Parsonfield public library	25 00
Miscellaneous	300 69
Abatements	341 69
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	\$10,137 37

Poor and Other General Town Expenses.

Highway, summer 1908	\$116 11	
Highway, summer 1909	9 34	
Highway, winter 1908-09	138 28	
Highway, winter, 1901-08	11 90	
Town Farm	1,503 49	
Town officers	660 15	
Paupers not on farm	512 68	
Abolitions	311 69	
Miscellaneous	300 60	
	<hr/>	\$1,191 93

Funds Available to Meet Town Expenses.

Appropriation	\$1,500 00	
Overlay	303 36	
Supplementary tax	17 17	
Unexpended balance, State road	1 26	
" " Brown tail moths	31 46	
" " Town house	5 15	
" " Guide posts	10 61	
" " Winter, highway		
1909-10	208 01	
Receipts from Town farm	739 46	
Refunded dog license, 1909	103 27	
Limerick Natl. Bank, int. on Town funds	104 69	
Auctioneers license	2 00	
Railroad and Tel. tax	21	
Middle Road Cemetery fund	7 10	
P. W. Benton, Coll. 1908	39 56	
State Treas. damage to domestic animals	39 00	
Tax deed	23 55	
	<hr/>	\$3,149 18
Expenses more than funds available		\$1,045 75

SCHOOL REPORT.

L. Randolph Churchill, wood	\$9 00
Philip Gibson, janitor service	2 75
Philip Gibson, janitor service	2 50
Hiram Hussey, conveying scholars	40 00
L. E. Sanborn, wood	10 00
Ellsworth Burbank, janitor service	1 50
Ralph Mitchell, teaching	90 00
Arthur Chapman, conveying scholars	56 50
E. Coolbroth, conveying scholars	17 50
S. Maud Lougee, teaching	82 50
S. Maud Lougee, janitor service	2 75
Chas. T. Doe, teaching	77 00
Chas. T. Doe, janitor service	2 75
Manie E. Foss, teaching	88 00
Manie E. Foss, janitor service	2 75
L. B. Morrill, wood	4 50
Mary L. Chadbourn, teaching	35 00
Frances E. Nason, janitor service	2 75
Frances E. Nason, teaching	82 50
Town of Effingham	35 46
Delphine Lougee, teaching	71 50
Delphine Lougee, janitor service	2 75
Homer Glidden, janitor service	1 50
F. W. Towne, wood	15 00
Mrs. Geo. Edwards, board of scholars	18 70
Mary L. Chadburn, teaching	42 00
D. Russell Leavitt, janitor service	2 75
Mrs. Mabel Hartford, conveying scholars	27 00
James Bickford, wood	12 00
Kezar Falls Woolen Co., wood	12 00
William Sanborn, conveying scholars	11 00
Fred Ollomy, wood	2 00
Mamie E. Foss, teaching	88 00
Ralph Mitchell, teaching	88 00
Lavinia Kent, teaching	70 00
Chas. W. Davis, wood	12 00
Lawrence Gentlemen, janitor service	3 00
Lilla R. Gentleman, teaching	15 00
Lilla R. Gentleman, teaching	45 00
Marion Boothby, conveying scholars	18 75
Josephine Sprague, conveying scholars	33 00

Leslie Alley, Janitor	2 75
Will Sanborn, conveying scholars	24 50
Mrs. Hartford, conveying scholars	44 00
S. Maud Lougee, teaching	82 50
S. Maud Lougee, janitor service	2 75
Frances E. Nason, teaching	88 00
F. Marion Lougee, teaching	71 50
Lilla Gentleman, teaching	82 50
Lawrence Gentleman, janitor	2 75
Arthur Chapman, conveying scholars	60 50
Ellsworth Burbank, janitor	1 25
Ralph Mitchell, teaching	64 00
Mrs. Lillian Edwards, boarding scholars	15 00
Homer Glidden, janitor	1 25
Eben Coolbroth, conveying scholars	15 75
Frances E. Nason, janitor service	2 75
J. Merrill Lord, wood	12 50
Mamie E. Foss, teaching	64 00
F. Marion Lougee, janitor service	2 50
John Chapman, sawing wood	1 00
Susie Merrill, teaching	56 00
S. Maud Lougee, teaching	60 00
S. Maud Lougee, janitor service	2 00
Lilla Gentleman, teaching	3 50
Francis Nason, teacher and janitor	66 00
Lilla Gentleman, teaching	22 50
Lawrence Gentleman, janitor	1 75
Lavina Kent, teaching	63 00
Russell Leavitt, janitor	2 50
Mrs. George Edwards, boarding scholars	18 75
Eben Coolbroth, conveying scholars	19 25
Ethel Leavitt, janitor service	2 75
Ethel Leavitt, teaching	77 00
Lilla Gentleman, teaching	30 00
Ethel Leavitt, teaching	58 00
Marion Boothby, conveying scholars	13 13
William Sanborn, conveying scholars	30 00
Susie Merrill, janitor service	2 00

\$2,439 54

Balance from last year	\$250 74	
Appropriation	1,500 00	
Mill tax	843 26	
Income Mill and School fund	40 00	
Tuition, Newfield	35 00	
Tuition, Cornish	45 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,714 00
Balance unexpended		\$274 46

PARSONSFIELD SEMINARY

Parsonsfeld Seminary, State aid	\$125 00	
Parsonsfeld Seminary, State aid	\$125 00	
Parsonsfeld Seminary, Income Piper fund	100 00	
Parsonsfeld Seminary, Income Piper fund	75 00	
Parsonsfeld Seminary, Income Piper fund	200 00	
Parsonsfeld Seminary, Income Piper fund	100 00	
Parsonsfeld Seminary, State aid	125 00	
	<hr/>	\$850 00
Received Treas. of Piper fund	475 00	
Received State Treas. Free High school	375 00	
	<hr/>	\$850 00

Repairs on School Houses.

Frank L. Day, E. Parsonsfeld school	\$ 3 50
Frank Edgly, Kezar Falls school	2 25
Frank Edgly, Elliott school	14 63
Geo. Edwards, labor and material, Middle Road	8 45
L. E. Sanborn, painting S. Parsonsfeld school house	36 52
F. L. Day, labor and material E. Parsonsfeld school	27 08
W. F. Edwards, labor and material, E. Parsonsfeld school	21 52
Frank L. Day, repairs, Fenderson school	6 25
W. F. Edwards, labor and material, Fenderson school	6 45
N. Reid, painting W. Parsonsfeld school	18 84
A. F. Drake, labor, W. Parsonsfeld school	20 82
Geo. A. Taylor, labor, W. Parsonsfeld school	4 50
Chas. W. Davis, labor, W. Parsonsfeld school	8 25
Chas. W. Davis, material and money, W. Parsonsfeld school	54 18
Ethel Leavitt and Fannie Doz, cleaning W. Parsonsfeld school	6 00

S. Maud Lougee, repairs, N. Parsonsfield school	1 58
E. R. Batchelder, Kezar Falls, school	21 00
Reuben Fenderson, material, S. Parsonsfield school	1 00
O. L. Stanley, Kezar Falls, school	5 25
W. T. Norton, shingles, Kezar Falls, school	30 00
Geo. T. Wilson, repairs, W. Parsonsfield school	3 00
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	\$301 07
Bal from last year	\$181 47
Appropriation	150 00
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	\$331 47
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Unexpended	30 40

Text Books.

Balance from last year	\$ 77 44
Appropriation	150 00
Mrs. Hannah Day	10
Frank Ridlon	26
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	\$227 80
Edw. E. Babb Co.	6 40
Edw. E. Babb Co	9 68
American Book Co	30 00
The Caxton Co.	6 00
Newell White	50
Atkinson Mentzer and Grover	12 75
American Book Co.	5 76
Edw. E. Babb & Co.	12 11
Milton Bradley Co.	12 40
Ginn & Co.	14 29
D. C. Heath & Co.	11 10
Edw. E. Babb & Co.	12 52
Milton Bradley Co	3 80
Fred I. Whiton Ex. on books	4 41
F. Marion, Ex. on books	78
Lelia R. Gentleman, supplies	80
Ridlon Bros.	60
Webb-Smith Printing Co. report cards	1 00
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	\$144 90
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Balance unexpended	82 90

Winter, 1908-1909.

A. W. Lane, labor	\$ 3 15
G. A. Sanborn, labor	27 50
E. M. Doe, labor	1 00
S. G. Pease, housing roller	2 00
E. W. Hussey, labor	12 97
H. W. Leavitt, labor	14 00
S. G. Pease, labor	13 75
John Benson, labor	23 62
L. E. Burbank, labor	6 00
S. B. Stanley, labor	24 00
J. G. Fenderson, labor	2 10
C. S. Moulton, labor	10 65
Benj. Linscott, labor	2 00
Chas. T. Doe, labor	4 80
W. W. Meserve, labor	16 00
Daniel Chillis, labor	11 17
H. D. Moulton, labor	14 33
W. W. Burbank, labor	8 88
J. F. Fenderson, labor	2 00
J. F. Fenderson, labor	2 00
Fred Young, labor	15 00
A. H. Milliken, labor	26 40
C. L. Werman, labor	115 00
C. L. Werman, hauling snow roller	3 00
E. L. Sanborn, labor	9 00
Raymond Burbank, labor	10 20
A. N. Edgecomb, labor	14 50
Saml. M. Boothby, labor	4 50
Daniel Wilson, labor	10 20
John F. Collony, labor	8 85
Leland C. Boothby, housing roller	3 00
Leland Boothby, labor 1907-1908	13 10
Leland Boothby, labor	11 25
Geo. W. and B. T. Lord, labor	8 00
Elden Smith, labor	10 80
Viola Kezar, labor	7 75
C. T. Wentworth, labor	12 30
L. B. Merrill, housing 2 rollers	5 50
Benj. Nason, labor	5 25
M. H. Towle, labor	23 10
C. S. Dutch, labor	3 45

J. M. Weymouth, labor	10 80	
A. L. Langly, labor	10 80	
J. F. Briggs, labor	3 00	
F. W. Trueworthy, labor	20 00	
John Merrill, labor	10 50	
Frank Gannon, labor	6 00	
N. W. Fenderson, labor	6 00	
C. C. Moulton, labor	13 50	
N. H. Churchill, snowing Porter bridge	1 25	
A. M. Chapman, labor	2 25	
C. L. Weeman, labor	4 00	
Fred Collony, labor	8 36	
J. M. Dow, labor	11 00	
Silas M. Boothby, labor	29 77	
Lester G. Downs, labor	1 88	
E. G. Pease, labor	18 00	
G. A. Sanborn, hauling roller	1 00	
S. G. Pease, housing roller	1 50	
Chester West, labor	20 60	
A. L. Langley, labor	90	
Geo. E. Davis, labor	23 10	
		\$138 28

Winter 1907-1908.

Geo. E. Davis, labor	11 90
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Winter 1909-1910

J. F. Bickford, labor	8 00
N. W. Fenderson, labor	3 00
Chas. Dearborn, labor	4 35
I. G. Fenderson, labor	2 10
Daniel Chellis, labor	4 65
Geo. W. Lord, labor	4 20
Leland C. Boothby, labor	10 45
Chas. and C. S. Moulton, labor	9 90
H. D. Moulton, labor	6 90
James Bickford, labor	2 40
Sumner Edwards, labor	2 85
Chas. C. Moulton, labor	4 25

S. O. Hasty, labor	2	70	
A. H. and H. N. Milliken, labor	10	95	
W. W. Burbank, labor	4	87	
Raymond Burbank, labor	1	35	
Will Edwards, labor	1	20	
Moses Roberts, labor	1	20	
C. E. Weeks, labor	3	51	
Lewis Eastman,	3	51	
M. H. Towle	21	12	
Silas M. Boothby	26	20	
Chas. Dearborn	1	50	
Sidney Stanley, labor	7	00	
A. N. Edgecomb, labor	20	00	
Fred W. Trueworthy, labor	6	30	
J. L. Mason, repairs on roller	6	74	
Arthur Chapman, labor	8	70	
O. L. Banks, labor	15	00	
L. B. Merrill, labor	58	55	
C. T. Wentworth, labor	18	44	
Fred P. Chick, labor	45	89	
Everett Pendexter, labor	8	78	
Chester A. West, labor	13	50	
L. R. Hus cy, labor	14	73	
F. Gilpatrick, labor	5	75	
H. Edwards, labor		75	
Daniel Wilson, labor	12	00	
Geo. A. Sanborn, labor	26	00	
J. M. Weymouth, labor	1	00	
Eugene Doe, labor	1	50	
John Whiting, labor	4	50	
C. L. Weeman, labor	56	10	
E. A. Nutter, labor	51	00	
C. S. Dutch, labor	1	50	
Beni. Nason	2	25	
C. L. Weeman, repairing roller	4	17	
E. A. Nutter, labor and lumber	2	00	
W. M. Meserve, labor	31	00	
Prof. Allen, Jr., labor	2	55	
E. G. Chase, labor	11	75	
J. Merrill Lord, labor	3	90	
Geo. Davis, labor	5	85	
			\$391 96
Appropriation			\$800 00
Unexpended			\$208 04

Summer 1908.

W. S. Weeks, labor	\$ 5 00
G. A. Sanborn, watering tub	3 00
E. M. Doe, labor	2 00
W. S. Hasty, labor	4 00
Frank Chase, labor	1 50
C. L. Moulton, labor	14 00
G. F. Gannon, labor	2 25
E. B. Wadleigh, labor	3 50
James W. Bickford, labor	1 00
Leland Boothby, labor	18 70
Geo. W. Lord, labor	3 75
B. T. Lord, labor	2 00
W. H. Fenderson, labor	4 75
M. H. Towle, labor and plank	25 81
S. M. Boothby, labor	1 80
P. W. Benton, Lridge plank	4 00
A. D. Johnson, labor	1 50
Frank P. Spencer, labor	1 75
Frank Benson, labor	1 00
Geo. Davis, stringers and labor	2 80
Fred Nutter, labor	9 62
Chester Bisbee, labor	20 00
Chas. Moulton and Son, bridge plank	5 60
Fred A. Nutter, labor	48 17
Edwin A. Leavitt, labor	6 50
Chester A. Bisbee, watering tub	3 00
Chester A. Bisbee, labor	11 33
F. W. Brooks, labor	32 00
Geo. D. Waterhouse, labor	12 75
L. E. Burbank, labor	8 00
L. E. Sanborn, labor	9 00
H. H. Doe, labor	2 75
John M. Chellis, labor	8 50
Thatcher Burnham, labor	2 40
Will Burbank, labor	2 40
Alfred Milliken, labor	4 50
Hiram Hussey, labor	5 63
John A. Leavitt, labor	9 00
North East Metal Culvert Co., culverts	27 20
A. N. Edgecombe, labor and repairs on road machine	16 00

Benj. Nason, labor	12 75
A. D. Moulton, labor	4 80
H. D. Moulton	4 30
H. E. Welch, labor	21 37
John A. Morrill, labor	2 62
D. C. Nutter, labor	5 75
Milbury Newell, labor	15 60
Alvah Lane, labor	2 25
Will S Weeks, labor	3 00
Fred A. Nutter, labor	38 77
Rosco Bisbee, labor	3 00
H. W. Leavitt, labor	10 70
John Lougee, labor	2 25
Geo. A. Doe, labor	1 50
Tristum Doe, labor	3 00
Chas. T. Doe, labor	1 50
Cyrus Foss, labor	10 18
E. M. Dearborn, labor	7 20
Allen Hamblen, labor	9 35
Fulton Collomy, labor	3 30
Ernest Edwards, labor	6 00
W. G. O. Ridlow, labor	3 00
Cyrus Brown, labor	1 57
Frank Day, labor	10 90
Wm. Fenderson, labor	3 00
Plummer Wilkinson, labor	7 65
Chas. Weeks, labor	11 40
Geo. Chase, labor	5 65
William Mason, labor	11 70
Will Sanborn, labor	2 10
Ernest Dearborn, labor	21 77
Leland Boothby, labor	18 75
B. T. and G. W. Lord, labor	6 00
Asa Ward, labor	2 85
Will McDonald, labor	4 80
Chas. H. Dutch, labor	13 12
F. W. Trueworthy, bridge stringers	10 00
Viola Kezar, watering tub	1 50
E. B. Wadleigh, repairs on road machine	1 75
Benj. Linscott, labor	6 75
Chas. Moulton, labor	4 35
C. A. Dearborn, labor	20 00
C. A. Dearborn, labor	15 00
Daniel Chellis, labor	3 45

H. D. Marston, labor	11 75
L. E. Marston, labor	11 00
John Whiting, labor	6 75
Fred Reed, labor	1 95
Fred Collony, labor	3 00
Lewis Gould, labor and plank	9 52
Ernest Dearborn, labor	10 70
A. T. West, labor	42 50
J. P. Haynes, labor	4 50
Marshall Towle, labor	26 10
Daniel O. Blazo, bridge stringers	4 00
A. E. Haynes, labor	10 00
John A. Leavitt, labor	35 00
Frank J. Boody, labor	7 00
C. A. Dearborn, labor	5 00
Arthur Chapman, labor	9 22
John Merrill, labor	6 00
J. M. Dow, repairs and sharpening drills	1 75
James Edwards, labor	9 75
Frank Gannon, labor	1 50
Webster Fenderson, labor	3 00
Sumner Edwards, labor	1 50
Lorenzo Edwards, labor	3 60
Andrew Smith, labor	7 20
Ray Burbank, labor	4 20
J. W. Bickford, labor	75
Ernest Pease	4 50
C. C. Moulton	3 15
Chas. Philbrick, labor	75
John French, labor	9 00
Arthur Kennison, labor	7 00
O. L. Banks, labor	3 00
Chas. Wentworth, labor	4 50
Simon Libby, labor	6 00
N. H. Churchill, labor	2 10
A. L. Langley, labor	3 00
C. L. Werman, labor	4 75
C. L. Werman, watering tub	3 00
E. H. Hoyt, labor	38
E. M. Hussey, labor	3 30
L. R. Hussey, labor	13 75
J. C. Dennett, labor	2 25
Chas Wentworth, labor	11 10
Kezar Falls Woolen Co., gravel and labor	5 75

Kezar Falls Woolen Co., labor	3 83
Kezar Falls Woolen Co., labor	32 00
S. Hartford, labor	15 00
Lewis Gould, labor and plank	3 62
P. W. Benton, labor	37 00
James Watson, bridge plank	36 07
Ed. Alley, labor	1 35
Daniel Durgin, labor	7 50
Ed. Alley, labor	1 50
A. B. Leavitt Co., bridge plank	6 40
Fred A. Nutter, labor	6 00
L. H. Merrill, labor	1 50
L. Hardy Merrill, housing road machine	2 00
John French, labor	4 50
A. N. Edgecomb, labor	42 25
Saml. Boothby, labor	3 00
Rufus Allen, Jr., labor	75
Will Burbank, labor	90
Thatcher Burnham, labor	2 25
Delbert C. Nutter, labor	10 00
Ernest L. Dearborn, labor	8 00
F. W. Pendexter, labor	2 25
Asa Johnson, labor	3 60
Asa Johnson, labor	1 50
E. B. Glidden, hauling plank	1 00
Fred A. Nutter, labor	9 23
Alonzo Beckford, labor	1 50
S. O. Hasty, labor	6 00
O. E. Watson, hauling plank	4 00
Geo. D. Waterhouse, labor	1 50
P. M. Runnels, labor	75
Geo. Lord, labor	1 05
Chas. Dearborn, labor	25 00
Edw. E. Sanborn, labor	1 50
G. A. Sanborn, labor	4 00
Chester West, labor	20 00
C. M. Nutter, labor	11 00
H. J. Glidden, labor	8 00
J. M. Lord, labor	7 50
Bennett Moulton, labor	3 30
J. M. Lord, labor	2 55
Everett Burnham, labor	2 80
Fred Collony, labor	3 30
Frank Fenderson, labor	4 15

A. H. Milliken, labor	4 50	
Ray Burbank, labor	2 20	
Ira Alley, labor	2 00	
O. L. Banks, watering tub	3 00	
J. H. Foss, watering tub 1908-1909	6 00	
Chas. Dearborn, labor	37 49	
Moses Wilson, bridge sleepers	1 50	
James Fernderson, labor	3 45	
John H. Merrill, labor	1 00	
E. R. Batchelder, repairs on road machine	8 92	
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Amount set aside for State road		\$1,349 08
		160 26
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		\$1,509 34
Appropriation		\$1,500 00
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Overdrawn		\$9 34

State Road.

A. L. Steward, labor	\$19 25	
L. H. Merrill, labor	20 12	
Walter Anderson, labor	20 12	
Arthur Chapman, labor	43 74	
Leon Hussey, labor	49 00	
Ernest Hussey, labor	24 50	
Fred Collomy, labor	52 50	
W. H. Collomy, labor	21 00	
E. H. Hoyt	24 50	
Geo. Edwards, Jr	19 25	
Fred Morrill	18 38	
Harry Edwards	24 50	
Chas. Andrews	21 00	
Frank Gannon	14 00	
Horatio Tripp	12 25	
H. W. Leavitt	32 00	
Arthur Gupzell	15 75	
E. B. Wadleigh	1 50	
E. B. Wadleigh	5 00	
Harry Edwards	50	
S. G. Pease	1 50	
W. M. Meserve, dynamite	11 00	
W. D. Churchill, use of scraper	1 00	
Fred Collomy, use of drag	2 00	
Leon Hussey, use of drag	1 00	
E. E. Wadleigh, use of tools	7 00	
E. E. Wadleigh, services as foreman	46 75	
	<hr/>	\$509 11
Appropriated by State	\$219 61	
Appropriated by Town	236 76	
	<hr/>	\$516 37
Balance unexpended		\$7 26

Memorial.

Howard H. Doe, decorating graves	\$2 50	
T. W. Burnham, decorating graves	2 00	
John Lougee, decorating graves	3 50	
A. J. Moulton, decorating graves	2 50	
A. J. Moulton, markers for graves	9 50	
	<hr/>	\$20 00
Appropriation		20 00

Repairs on Town House.

J. B. Lord, shingles	\$25 00	
J. B. Lord, labor	25 75	
L. E. Sanborn, painting	43 50	
	<hr/>	\$94 25
Appropriation		100 00
Balance unexpended		5 75
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		\$100 00

Guide Posts.

Chester A. Bisbee, setting guide posts	\$ 3 50	
J. C. Chellis, making guide boards	1 50	
A. H. Milliken, 4 guide boards	4 00	
L. E. Burbank, guide boards and labor	19 00	
Chas. T. Doe, setting guide posts	4 00	
A. H. Kenison, guide boards and posts	12 83	
E. E. Wadleigh, making and painting guide boards	12 00	
J. C. Chellis, 1 guide board	1 00	
B. J. Lord, 1 guide board	1 00	
J. G. Fenderson, 3 guide posts	3 00	
W. W. Burbank, repairs on guide boards	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$64 33
Appropriation		75 00
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Balance unexpended		\$10 67

Brown Tail Moths.

Ray Burbank	\$ 8 00
I. C. Chellis	9 50
W. W. Burbank	13 00
L. E. Burbank	16 50
S. G. Pease	12 10
W. M. Meserve, postage and stationery	3 44
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	\$62 54
Appropriation	100 00
Balance unexpended	\$37 46

Kezar Falls Lights.

Cornish & Kezar Falls Light and Power Co.	\$100 00
Appropriation	100 00

Parsonsfield Public Library.

Library	\$25 00
Appropriation	25 00

List of Unpaid Taxes, 1909.

Chas. Tarbox	\$ 2 75
Frank Chapman, Jr.	2 75
Leland Knapp	4 09
Fred Reed	80
Simeon Edwards	2 75
Geo. Day	2 75
Eugene Doe	4 47
James Bridges	5 05
Geo. W. Bennett	3 64
Ernest Edwards	2 75
Chas. Peary	2 75
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	\$34 55

TOWN FARM.

Boothby and Fenderson, supplies for 1908	\$14 96
J. E. Bickford, supplies	6 76
Arthur Pease, labor	1 50
Lester Burbank, labor	1 50
Rufus Allen and wife, Salary to April 18, 1909	162 00
Ira H. Moore, sawing shingles	9 75
Daniel Chellis, use of bull, 1908	2 00
A. E. Haynes, grain	30 74
W. H. Straw, sawing lumber	2 33
S. G. Pease, supplies	12 26
Rufus Allen and wife, salary in part, 1909	50 00
Chas. L. Moulton, seed oats	2 25
Boothby and Fenderson, supplies	25 00
A. E. Haynes, supplies	29 88
Rufus Allen and wife, salary in part, 1909	100 00
I. C. Chellis, repairs on Farm buildings	12 05
I. B. Watson, chairs	10 25
Boothby and Fenderson, supplies	43 37
A. E. Haynes, grain	59 49
A. E. Haynes, lumber	3 00
I. B. Lord, 2 cows	70 00
Ralph Burbank, 1 pair oxen	125 00
L. E. Burbank, 1 cow	32 00
F. W. Hall, 1 pair oxen	190 00
Eldon Smith, 1 pair steers	100 00
D. E. Berry, 1 pair oxen	160 00
I. W. Lord, 2 pigs	13 84
T. W. Purnham, use of bull	1 50
Rufus Allen, repairs on farming tools	11 12
S. G. Pease, supplies	26 39
S. G. Pease, supplies	11 01
Reuben Fenderson, supplies	17 22
F. W. Towne, supplies	16 56
W. M. Meserve, supplies	56 46
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	\$1,503 49
Sold from Farm	\$739 16

Paupers Not on Farm.

G. W. Weeks, medical attendance, Mrs. Lavours	\$12 00
Clara A. Hussey, board, J. C. Moore	8 00
M. S. Crenner, hauling wood, John Libby	2 00
M. S. Crenner, board of John Libby and wife	5 00
Clara A. Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	12 00
Town of Waterloo, Acct. of Ivory Durgin	139 87
Clara A. Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	10 00
Ernest Hussey, supplies for J. C. Moore	1 75
S. G. Pease, supplies for Chas. Moore	4 65
A. S. Davis, medical attendance, Frank Alley's child	22 50
A. S. Davis, medical attendance Town Farm	36 25
Clara A. Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	26 00
Clara Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	18 00
Boothby and Fenderson, supplies, Frank Alley	2 92
D. A. Brooks, conveyance, Abigail Morrill	2 00
S. G. Pease, supplies, J. C. Moore	11 28
Clara Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	8 00
A. S. Davis, medical services, Town Farm	21 00
A. C. Stanley, supplies, Abigail Morrill	1 96
Lord and Fenderson, services, Abigail Morrill, case	24 70
L. E. Burbank, acct. of Abigail Morrill	12 65
Town of Porter, board of Abigail Morrill	104 00
Clara Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	22 00
L. C. Leavitt, removing Abigail Morrill	1 00
J. F. Bickford, supplies, J. C. Moore	3 15
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	\$512 68

Abatements.

P. W. Benton, Coll. discount on taxes	\$307 57
P. W. Benton, Coll. Abatement	34 12
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	\$341 69

TOWN OFFICERS

J. F. Bickford, Ballot Clerk	\$3 00
Chas. W. Davis, Ballot Clerk	3 00
S. G. Pease, Board of Education	5 00
S. G. Pease, Selectman, Feb. 20 to March 8, 1908	7 50
S. G. Pease, Selectman, Feb. 20 to March 9, 1909	5 00
L. E. Burbank, Selectman	5 00
L. C. Leavitt	3 50
A. R. Leavitt, Town Clerk	10 00
W. M. Meserve, Ballot Clerk	3 00
W. W. Burbank, Selectman and Assessor in part	34 00
L. E. Burbank, Selectman and Assessor in part	30 00
A. N. Edgecomb, Road Commissioner	50 00
Fred A. Nutter, Road Commissioner	50 00
L. C. Leavitt, Selectman and Assessor in part	45 00
Blanche Fenderson, Board of Education	2 50
Blanche Fenderson, Supt. of Schools	35 00
E. C. Burnham, Member School Board	5 25
Wm. C. McCue, Supt. of Schools in part	25 00
W. W. Burbank, Selectman in part	22 75
L. E. Burbank, Overseer of Poor	12 00
L. E. Burbank, Selectman	44 75
W. W. Burbank, Overseer of Poor	7 50
W. W. Burbank, Selectman	20 50
L. C. Leavitt, Overseer of Poor	5 00
L. C. Leavitt, Board of Education	5 00
L. C. Leavitt, Selectman	37 00
William McCue, Supt of Schools	5 00
William McCue, Supt. of Schools	15 00
William McCue, Supt. of Schools	20 00
Geo. E. Davis, Member of School Board	4 50
Geo. E. Davis, Town Treasurer	40 00
P. W. Benton Collector	100 00
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	\$660 75

Miscellaneous.

J. M. Leavitt, M. D., Recording births and deaths	\$ 1 75
Geo. A. Sanborn, repairs	2 00
H. W. Leavitt, damage to cow by dogs	13 50
White Mountain Calendar Co., printing Town reports	40 00
A. R. Leavitt, recording vital statistics	10 95
A. R. Leavitt, postage and stationery	3 09
S. C. McKeen, fighting fire, 1908	3 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, books and blanks	18 95
Loring, Short & Harmon, collector's book	1 50
White Mountain Calendar Co., letter heads	3 00
Lord & Fenderson, insurance	24 00
W. M. Meserve, stamped envelopes	11 00
C. L. Werman, drag, State road, 1908	3 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, Road Comm. books	1 80
Loring, Short & Harmon, Town order books	2 50
C. L. Weeman, posting warrants	7 50
C. L. Weeman, looking after unlicensed dogs, 1907	10 00
C. L. Weeman, looking after unlicensed dogs, 1908	10 00
Geo. G. Edwards, cleaning up cemetery	5 70
A. N. Edgecomb, watering tub	3 00
Wm. Randall, Atty., claim of Daniel Tripp	25 00
F. G. Devereaux, recording births and deaths and services Board of Health	11 00
J. S. Weeks, watering tub	1 50
G. A. Sanborn, watering tub	3 00
Lord & Fenderson, Atty. Tripp case	20 00
C. M. Nutter, watering tub	3 00
L. A. Kennard, recording births and deaths	2 50
G. W. Weeks, recording births and deaths	1 00
Webb-Smith Co., 450 printed cards	6 00
Mrs. J. P. Burbank, telephone	90
Geo. G. Edwards, labor in cemetery	2 00
P. W. Benton, Moderator	3 00
L. C. Leavitt, Ex. postage and Tel	6 15
L. E. Burbank, telephone	1 00
Geo. E. Davis, insurance, W. Parson Field and Maple wood school houses	36 00
Wm. C. McCue, postage, stationery and tel	2 40

 \$300 69

REPORT OF THE OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Receipts from Town Farm.

1 calf	\$ 7 00
1 pair oxen	165 00
2 cows	30 00
1 pair oxen	160 00
1 pair steers	143 00
1 pair steers	120 00
1 calf	6 00
Produce	11 96
1 cow	30 00
1 calf	6 50
1 cow	35 00
1 cow killed on Town Farm	25 00
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	\$739 46

Payments for Farm.

Arthur Pease, labor	\$1 50
Lester Burbank, labor	1 50
Ira H. Moore, sawing shingles	9 75
W. H. Straw, sawing lumber	2 33
S. G. Pease, supplies	12 26
Rufus Allen and wife	50 00
Chas. Moulton, seed oats	2 25
Boothby and Fenderson, supplies	25 00
A. E. Haynes, supplies	29 88
Rufus Allen and wife, services in part	100 00
J. C. Chellis, repairs on Farm buildings	12 05
J. B. Watson, chairs	10 25
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Eldon Smith, 1 pair steers	100 00
D. E. Berry, 1 pair steers	160 00

J. W. Lord, 2 pigs	13 84	
Rufus Allen, repairs on tools	14 42	
S. L. Pease, supplies	26 39	
S. L. Pease, supplies	11 01	
Reuben Fenderson, supplies	17 22	
F. W. Towne, supplies	16 56	
W. M. Meserve, supplies	56 46	
	<hr/>	\$1,252 53
Total receipts		139 46
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Total expense		\$513 01
Owe Rufus Allen and wife		\$162 00

Inventory, Town Farm, Feb. 20, 1910.

1 pair oxen 7 ft. 1 in.	\$200 00
1 pair of 3-year-olds, 6 ft. 5 ins.	170 00
3 cows	115 00
2 shoats	22 00
30 hens	18 00
200 lbs. pork	36 00
25 bushels potatoes	15 00
6 lbs. butter	1 80
50 lbs. ham	8 00
8 lbs. lard	1 44
½ lb. tea	25
1 lb. coffee	20
50 bushels corn	20 00
1 barrel flour	6 75
1 bag grain	1 65
15 bushels oats	9 30
15 cords wood, fitted	
18 tons hay	360 00
200 cakes ice, 16x16x16	
10 M shingles	27 00
500 ft. lumber	7 00

Respectfully submitted,

L. C. LEAVITT,
S. E. BURBANK,
W. W. BURBANK,
Overseers of Poor Parsonsfield.

Births 1909.

<i>Date, 1910</i>	<i>Name of Child</i>	<i>Sex</i>	<i>Name of Father</i>	<i>Maiden Name of Mother</i>
January 7	Melvin Ricker Meserve.....	Male.....	Wilbur M. Meserve.....	Annie F. Chadbourn
February 2	Margarette Eldridge	Female.....	Woodbury Eldridge	Dora B. White
February 16	Thelma May McDonald.....	Female.....	William A. McDonald.....	Evie M. ² Day
February 26	Margarette Edwards	Female.....	Harry H. Edwards.....	Lillia E. Linscott
March 15	Cecil Foster Bridges.....	Male.....	James F. Bridges.....	Lidia A. Milliken
March 19	.....	Male.....	Paul M. Runnels.....	Blanch P. White
April 21	Clifton Nutter	Male.....	Fred A. Nutter.....	Carrie Dutch
May 7	Lubert Elwood Taylor.....	Male.....	Carl L. Taylor.....	Ruth J. Wheeler
May 27	.....	Female.....	J. Merrill Lord.....	Sarah Churchill
May 31	Vera Elizabeth Leavitt.....	Female.....	John A. Leavitt.....	Ethel Doe
July 12	Horatis Trip	Female.....	Horatio Trip	Sadie Withem
July 24	.....	Male.....	Elmer Norton.....	May E. Wilcox
August 21	.....	Female.....	J. Frank Fenderson.....	Queenie May Lane
September 11	Everett Lervy Moulton.....	Male.....	Charles L. Moulton.....	Nellie M. Merrill
September 18	.....	Female.....	Herbert Smith	Ethel Rice
September 19	Doris Gilpatrick	Female.....	Frank Gilpatrick	Annie Brown
September 25	Dave Clayton Campbell.....	Male.....	Peter Simon Campbell.....	Ina May Fox
September 28	.....	Male.....	Alfred N. Edgecomb.....	Edith M. Goodwin
October 3	.....	Male.....	Avah H. Downs.....	Hattie B. Hobbs
October 9	.....	Male.....	Ormand E. Watson.....	Ina Norton
October 17	Maurice Albert Frost.....	Male.....	John H. Frost.....	Julia M. Chamsey
October 28	Tommy R. Parker.....	Male.....	Wm. P. Parker.....	Viola Richards
October 29	Allen Frank Garner.....	Male.....	William A. Garner.....	Bertha May Ridlon
November 8	.....	Female.....	Clinton Wood	Ella Lord
November 20	Beatrice Mae Fox.....	Female.....	Herman J. Fox.....	Florence A. Chesley
November 20	Manda L. Fox.....	Female.....	Herman J. Fox.....	Florence A. Chesley
December 9	Ruth Frances Kirkton.....	Female.....	L. L. Kirkton.....	Sarah S. Hunt

A. J. MOULTON, Town Clerk.

Marriages 1909.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place of Marriage</i>	<i>Name of Groom and Bride</i>	<i>Residence</i>	<i>By Whom Married</i>
January 6, 1909.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	Emery Wentworth	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	Rev. L. A. Wentworth
January 14, 1909.....	Westbrook, Maine.....	Mary E. Driscoll.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	Rev. H. E. Townsend
February 24, 1909.....	Cambridge, Mass.....	Coote Decoy Elliott.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	Rev. J. C. Osgood
October 6, 1909.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	Eva McMonoff Thurston.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	Rev. W. H. Cotton
November 24, 1909.....	Hiram, Maine.....	Laforest O. Doe.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	Rev. H. H. Richardson
December 22, 1909.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	Ethel J. Sylvester.....	Cambridge, Mass.....	Rev. C. E. Brown
		Percy Elmer Nute.....	Brighton, Mass.....	
		Lura May Towle.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	
		Chester Alpheus West.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	
		Evie Mae Merrifield.....	Hiram, Maine.....	
		Clarence R. Towle.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	
		Sarah Henderson Leavitt.....	Parsonsfield, Maine.....	

A. J. MOULTON, Town Clerk.

DEATHS, 1909.

1909					
Date	Name	Yrs.	Mos.	Dys.	
Jan. 4, 1909	Percy T. Rolfe	35			
Jan. 4, "	Almond O. Smart	74	5	7	
Jan. 22, "	Ann M. Wedgewood	90	10	7	
Feb. 6, "	Mildred E. Elliott		2	26	
Feb. 10, "	Robert L. Chase	2	1	27	
Feb. 12, "	Frank H. Ricker	58	4		
Feb. 13, "	Dorcas Ann Smith	83	5	9	
Feb. 27, "	David W. Chase	45	1	5	
Mar. 30, "	Samuel F. Piper	71	0	11	
Apr. 11, "	John P. Burbank	66	9	10	
Apr. 13, "	Joshua Nutter	73	2	19	
Apr. 22, "	Laura E. Varney	61	6	4	
Jly. 10, "	Jane Foster	89	0	28	
Aug. 2, "	John L. Rummery	83	10	2	
Aug. 14, "	Edwin George Lord	51	9	26	
Oct. 5, "	Louvina P. Lord	73	1	0	
Oct. 15, "	Baby Watson	0	0	6	
Oct. 15, "	James Powers	69			
Nov. 17, "	Asenath Pearl	87	10	22	
Dec. 12, "	Nancy Newbegin	68	8	5	

A. J. MOULTON,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

For the Year Ending, Feb. 20, 1910.

Members of the Committee.

C. W. Davis, chairman, term expires 1910.

P. W. Benton, term expires 1911

E. C. Burnham, term expires 1912.

To the Superintendent of School Committee, Mr Chairman:—

I hereby submit my first annual report of public schools.

The schools have been maintained thirty weeks. It is possible that a longer school year could have been given but under the present method of meeting some of the school bills the superintendent is unable to tell just how fast the appropriation is being used. I would suggest that all school bills first receive the approval of the superintendent before they are paid that he may keep in touch with all expenditures and thereby know better how to act.

Several needed repairs have been made on the West Parsonsfield school house. The building received two coats of paint; the chimney was rebuilt, a new door hung in the entry and the ceiling plastered and whitewashed. The Kezar Falls school house needs to be shingled for which purpose shingles have already been purchased. The present condition of the yard fence gives the whole place a delapidated appearance. This should be repaired at the earliest opportunity.

When in our efforts to educate the child we give as much attention to its physical and moral requirements as to its mental, we have come to a true realization of this duty toward the child. The citizens of Parsonsfield have made ample provision for two of these requirements. Good school houses, desks and seats have been provided for the physical comfort of the child while a bountiful supply of excellent text books indicate a deep interest in its mental growth. But the present condition and number of our houses maintained with some of the schools seem to show that one, and not the least important requirement has been overlooked. School houses provided with only one out-house, common to both boys and girls, are not an aid to the proper and best development of the child's moral nature. Experience and observation of many

have proven that they are decidedly detrimental to purity of thought and act. There is inherent in every child a natural modesty which we do well to foster. It is better for the child to have a poor text book with an environment conducive to its moral welfare than the best text books with an environment capable of destroying in one short term, years of faithful home training. I would advise that a sufficient sum of money be appropriated to meet this need.

A teachers' association has been formed that through the mutual co-operation and efforts of its members the whole school system of the town may be brought to a more efficient working basis.

At their first meeting, held at the Seminary, much interest and enthusiasm was shown, due in part to the interesting and instructive program given by the Seminary teachers. But, without the unselfish moral support of the parents and citizens of any community no corps of teachers is able to do efficient work in their schools. When a child leaves a home in the morning where it has heard from its parents only adverse criticisms of its teacher, it enters school with a "chip on its shoulder," mentally unfit for instruction and with a pernicious influence. A child's daily school barometer can be read at its breakfast table.

The teachers have tested the sight and hearing of their pupils and the parents of those found deficient have been notified. It is important to the child's welfare; that such parents consult at once an oculist for defective sight or a physician for possible adenoid growth, causing the child's deafness. Such children are apt to be backward in their studies but can be materially helped if prompt attention be given to these defects.

Parsonsfield Seminary.

The Seminary now offers five courses of study to its students: college preparatory, general English, teachers' training, domestic science and agricultural. With the present excellent equipment and corps of teachers these courses are being well taught and much valuable instruction given to the students.

It would well repay the parents and citizens to visit the physical laboratory and see some of the interesting agricultural experiments worked by the boys, or to inspect the new manual training building with its modern equipment for practical instruction.

Your superintendent, while visiting the sewing class of the domestic science course, was somewhat doubtful of his ability to pass judgment on the excellency of the work performed. It would be gratifying to him if the mothers familiar with the deep mysteries of the rolling pin and needle would visit the classes of this course and report to him the result of their visit.

The enthusiastic members of the teachers training class are receiving practical ideas of their future vocation by occasional visits to the adjacent rural schools.

Valuable literary training is being given through the reading of the classics, while a long felt want in the students' attainments has been met by the introduction of the study of Biblical literature. Both students and teacher have become enthusiastic over music. The work in drawing has lost none of its former excellency.

Instructors.

Rev. Oscar W. Peterson, A. B., Principal. English, Bible, Psychology

Merle R. Keyes, B. S., Submaster. Science, Agriculture.

Blanche M. Fenderson, Preceptress. History, Mathematics, Teachers' Training.

Flora B. Smith, A. B. Latin, French.

Frances Simpson Domestic Science and Manual Training.

Charlotte M. Nason, Music and Elocution.

Maude B. Varney, Drawing and Art.

FINANCIAL REPORT—COMMON SCHOOLS.

Receipts.

Appropriation, 1909	\$1,500 00
Balance, 1908	250 71
State aid	813 26
School fund	40 00
Tuition, town of Newfield	35 00
Tuition, Town of Cornish	45 00
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	\$2,714 00

Expenditures.

Teachers' salaries	\$1,195 00
Conveyance	502 33
Janitor	57 75
Fuel	90 00
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	\$2,445 08
Balance	\$268 92
Bill for which no order has been drawn	5 54
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	274 46

Text Books and Supplies.

Receipts.

Appropriation, 1909	\$150 00
Balance, 1908	77 44
Hannah Day	10
Frank Ridlon	26
D. C. Heath	1 95
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	\$229 75

Expenditures.

Am. Book Co.	\$10 80
Am. Book Co.	19 20
E. E. Babb. & Co.	9 68
E. E. Babb & Co.	6 40
Milton Bradley Co.	2 60
E. E. Babb & Co.	1 23
Caxton Co.	6 00
Newell White	50
Milton Bradley	3 65
Atkenson Metzger	11 07
Am. Book Co.	2 88
Atkenson Mentzer	1 68
Ginn & Co.	7 89
Milton Bradley Co.	3 80
D. C. Heath & Co.	13 05
Ginn & Co.	6 40
E. E. Babb & Co.	12 52
F. Marion Lougee	78
Fred J. Whiton	4 41
Lilla E. Gentleman	80
Webb, Smith Pub. Co.	1 00
E. E. Babb & Co.	10 88
Am. Book Co.	2 88
Milton Bradley Co.	6 15
Supplies	60
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Balance	\$146 85 82

Repairs

Receipts.

Appropriation, 1909	\$150 00
Balance, 1908	181 47
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	\$331 47

Note—The above balance should be \$82.90 instead of \$82.00

Expenditures.

F. L. Day	\$ 3 50
Frank Edgerly	2 25
Frank Edgerly	14 63
Geo. G. Edwards	8 45
L. E. Sanborn	36 52
F. L. Day	14 00
F. L. Day	13 08
W. F. Edwards	21 52
N. Reed	18 84
A. F. Drake	20 82
G. A. Taylor	4 50
Chas. W. Davis	8 25
Chas. W. Davis	54 18
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	\$220 54
Ethel D. Leavitt	\$ 6 00
S. Maude Lougee	1 58
E. R. Bachelder	21 00
Reuben Fenderson	1 00
O. L. Stanley	5 25
W. T. Norton	30 00
Geo. T. Wilson	3 00
F. L. Day	6 25
W. F. Edwards	6 45
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	\$301 01
Balance	\$30 40

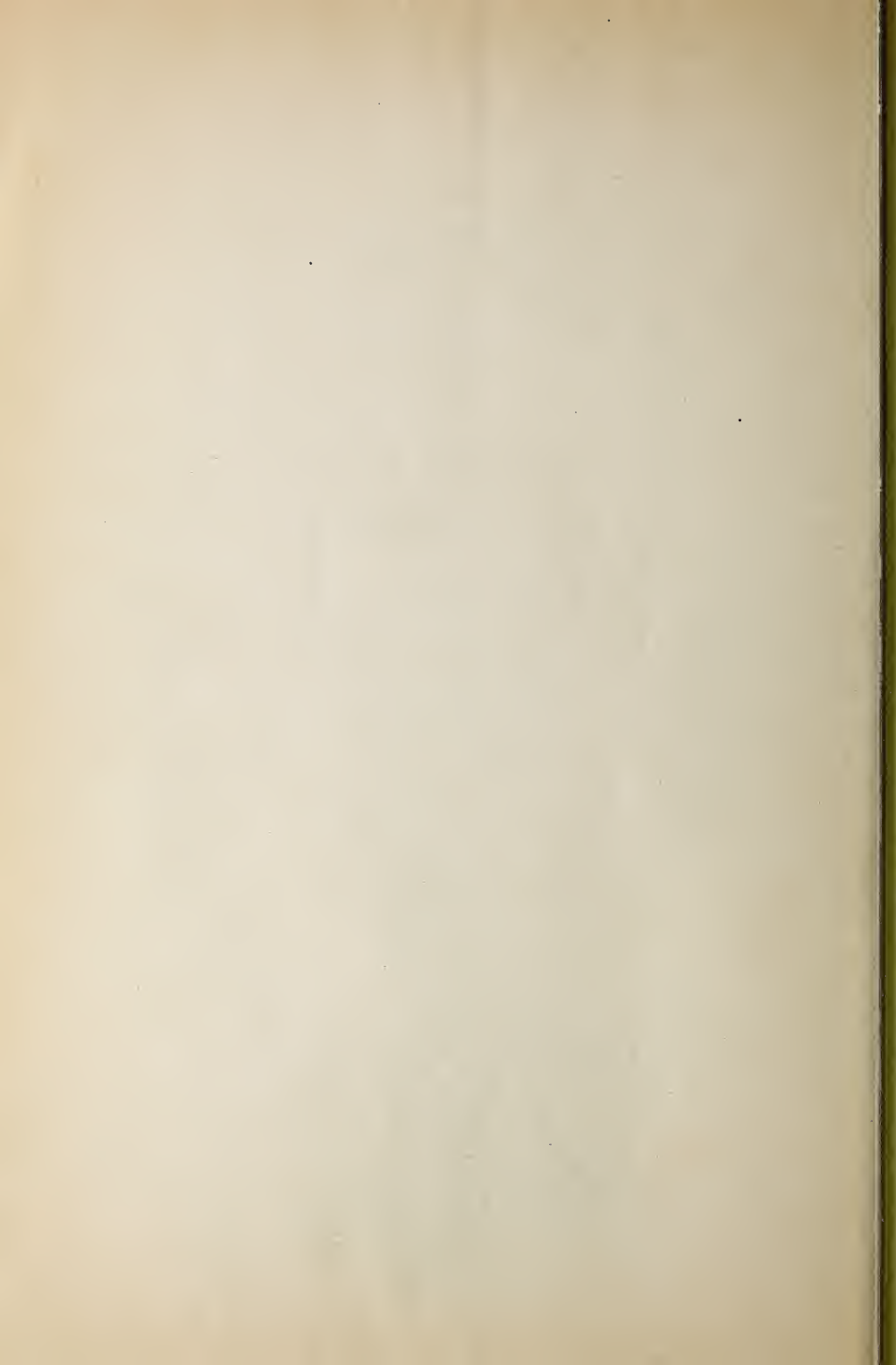
STATISTICS 1909.

School	Teachers	Spring Term					Fall Term					Winter Term				
		Weeks	Attendance	Average	No. Tardy	Weekly Wages	Weeks	Attendance	Average	No. Tardy	Weekly Wages	Weeks	Attendance	Average	No. Tardy	Weekly Wages
Kezar Falls	Lilla E. Gentleman	12	21	20	0	\$7 50	11	23	21	0	\$7 50	7	23	19	3	\$8 00
Elliott	Frances E. Norton	11	16	10	5	7 50	11	17	13	6	8 00	8	11	9	8	8 00
E. Parsonsfield	Mamie E. Foss	11	21	17	0	8 00	11	33	29	2	8 00	8	29	24	2	8 00
No. Parsonsfield	S. Maude Lougee	11	14	12	0	7 50	11	15	14	3	7 50	8	17	15	7	7 50
Middle Road	M. L. Chadbourne	11	11	9	25	7										
Middle Road	Lavinia G. Kent						10	14	13	12	7	9	14	13	81	7 00
So. Parsonsfield	Delphine Lougee	10	8	6		6 50										
So. Parsonsfield	Marion Lougee						11	12	9	11	6 50					
So. Parsonsfield	Susie Merrill											8	8	5	47	7 00
W. Parsonsfield	Chas. T. Doe	11	10	8	1	7 00										
W. Parsonsfield	Ethel E. Leavitt	11					11	10	8	0	7 00	8	10	7	2	7 00
Maplewood	Ralph P. Mitchell	12	11	9	8	8 09	11	14	11	7	8 00	8	14	10	4	8 00

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM C. McCUE,

Dist. Supt. of Schools.



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For the Year Ending
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Town Officers, 1910-1911

Town Clerk,
A. J. MOULTON.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor,
L. E. BURBANK, W. W. BURBANK
HARRY B. PRATT.

Treasurer,
GEORGE E. DAVIS.

Superintending School Committee,
P. W. BENTON, E. C. BURNHAM
ANSEL S. DAVIS.

Agent,
J. MERRILL LORD.

Road Commissioners,
CHARLES DEARBORN, A. H. KENNISON
C. W. DAVIS.

Auditor,
H. D. GRANVILLE.

Board of Health,
F. G. DEVEREUX, ANSEL S. DAVIS
J. A. KENNARD.

Collector,
P. W. BENTON.

Truant Officers,
C. E. VARNEY, FOREST P. LEAVITT
S. M. BOOTHBY.

Constable,
C. L. WEEMAN.

Warrant

STATE OF MAINE, YORK, ss.

To Charles I. Weeman, a Constable in the Town of
Parsonsfield, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Parsonsfield qualified by law to vote in town affairs to assemble at the Town House in said town on the thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to-wit:

1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

2d. To choose a Clerk for the year ensuing.

3d. To hear and act on the reports of the town officers for the past year.

4th. To choose Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor for the year ensuing.

5th. To choose a Treasurer for the year ensuing.

6th. To choose a Superintending School Committee for three years.

7th. To choose a Town Agent for the year ensuing.

8th. To choose an Auditor of Accounts for the year ensuing.

9th. To choose a Road Commissioner or Commissioners for the year ensuing.

10. To choose a Director of the Piper Fund for three years.

11th. To choose all other necessary town officers.

12th. To raise a sum of money for the support of schools.

13th. To raise a sum of money for the purchase of school books and supplies.

14th. To raise a sum of money for building and repairing highways and bridges.

15th. To raise a sum of money for breaking down snow in winter of 1911-12.

16th. To raise a sum of money for the repair of school-houses.

17th. To raise a sum of money for Memorial services in Parsonsfield.

18th. To raise a sum of money for the Support of the Poor and to defray all other town charges and expenses.

19th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Superintending School Committee to contract with Parsonsfield Seminary, situated in said town, to appropriate and expend all money available for Free High School purposes, for instruction of scholars in town at said Seminary.

20th. To see if the town will vote "Yes" or "No" on the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, as amended by Chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to State aid for highways for the year 1911.

21st. To see if the town will raise and appropriate, in addition to the amounts regularly raised and appropriated for the care of highways and bridges, the sum of \$400, being the maximum amount the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, as amended by Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1909.

22d. To see what action the town will take in regard to allowing a discount on all taxes paid before July 1st, 1911.

23d. To see what action the town will take in regard to charging interest on all taxes not paid before a certain date, said date to be fixed by the town.

24th. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money, to be expended at Kezar Falls, for lighting streets, repairing roads and sidewalks, the money to be paid by the Selectmen to the officers of the Kezar Falls Village Corporation, when said corporation is properly organized, to be used by them as per vote of town.

25th. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of

money to repair Town Farm buildings.

26th. To see what action the town will take in regard to the destruction of the Brown Tail Moth on the highways, as provided by law.

27th. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to pay for the use of hydrants at Kezar Falls.

28th. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Superintending School-Committee to use their discretion in regard to the continuance of the South, West and Fenderson Schools.

29th. To see if the town will vote to pay Charles L. Neal for damage to wheel on highway.

30th. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to include all bills for work on roads in summer in three orders in favor of the Road Commissioner or Commissioners; also in three orders for work in winter in favor of the Road Commissioner or Commissioners.

31st. To see if the town will vote to have amounts due taxpayers for labor on roads, summer and winter, applied to their taxes due the town, and to be paid by said Road Commissioner or Commissioners to the Collector of Taxes, and credited to their respective taxes.

32d. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$25.00 for the benefit of Parsonsfield Public Library.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the Town House on Saturday, March 11th, 1911, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and on March 13th, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Parsonsfield this fourth day of March, A. D. 1911.

L. E. BURBANK,
W. W. BURBANK,
HARRY B. PRATT,

Selectmen of Parsonsfield.

Treasurer's Report

DR.

Rec'd. from former Treas.	\$1,565.51
Rec'd. from L. E. Burbank, 4 Oxen, Town Farm....	382.50
Rec'd. from W. W. Burbank, Calf, Town Farm.....	6.00
Rec'd. from H. B. Pratt, Oxen, Town farm.....	150.00
Rec'd. from Rufus Allen, board of child, Town Farm	26.50
Rec'd. from State Treas. refund dog licenses, 1909,	120.00
Rec'd. from W. W. Burbank, oxen, Town Farm....	175.00
Rec'd. from W. W. Burbank, pork, Town Farm.....	12.75
Rec'd. from Town Clerk, dog licenses	91.00
Rec'd. from Treas. Piper Fund on income.....	75.00
Rec'd. from Town Clerk, dog licenses.....	63.00
Rec'd. from I. M. Stanley, auctioneer's license.....	2.00
Rec'd. from Town Clerk, dog license.....	1.00
Rec'd. from Treas. Piper Fund on income.....	125.00
Rec'd. from W. W. Burbank, apples, Town Farm....	74.20
Rec'd. from W. W. Burbank, cream, Town Farm....	33.40
Rec'd. from W. W. Burbank, bal. on cattle, Town Farm	20.00
Rec'd. from State Treas., school and mill fund....	888.62
Rec'd. from State Treas., common school fund....	730.31
Rec'd. from W. W. Burbank, cattle, Town Farm....	135.00
Rec'd. from W. W. Burbank, calf, Town Farm.....	8.00
Rec'd. from Treas., Cornish, tuition.....	38.75
Rec'd. from Treas. Piper Fund on income.....	206.00
Rec'd. from Overseers of Poor, cream, Town Farm ..	55.57
Rec'd. from Overseers of Poor, hide, Town Farm....	1.90
Rec'd. from Overseers of Poor, use of oxen. Town Farm	.50
Rec'd. from Overseers of Poor, produce, Fenderson, Town Farm	26.01
Rec'd. from Treas. Porter, conveyance of scholar	10.50
Rec'd. from P. W. Benton, shingles for K. F. School- house	22.00
.....(not delivered).....	
Rec'd. from Interest on town funds and error in road bill	51.69
Rec'd. from Treas. Ministerial & School Fund, in- come	40.00
Rec'd. from P. W. Benton, Coll., bal. tax 1909.....	40.05
Rec'd. from P. W. Benton, Coll. on tax 1910.....	9,694.29
	<u>\$14,872.05</u>

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Paid State Treas. on State tax 1910.....	\$120.00
Paid State Treas. dog licenses 1910.....	154.00
Paid State Treas. dog license 1910	1.00
Paid Emily Day State Pension 1 qr.	6.00
Paid Cyrus E. Brown State Pension, 1 qr.	9.00
Paid Geo. E. Perkins State Pension, 1 qr.....	9.00
Paid Geo. E. Perkins State Pension, 2 qr.	9.00
Paid Cyrus E. Brown State Pension, 2 qr.	9.00
Paid Emily Day State Pension, 2 qr.	6.00
Paid Emily Day State Pension, 3 qr.	6.00
Paid Geo. E. Perkins State Pension, 3 qr.	9.00
Paid Cyrus E. Brown State Pension, 3 qr.	9.00
Paid Cyrus E. Brown State Pension, 4 qr.	9.00
Paid Geo. E. Perkins State Pension, 4 qr.	9.00
Paid Emily Day State Pension, 4 qr.	6.00
Paid State Treas. bal. of State Tax, 1910.....	2,189.61
Paid County Treas. County Tax, 1910.....	537.77
Paid Town Orders	10,149.08
Bal. Cash on hand	1,624.59
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	\$14,872.05

I have examined the accounts of the several Town Officers and find them correct, and respectfully submit the following report:

H. D. GRANVILLE, Auditor.

Selectmen and Assessor's Report

Valuation 1910.

Real Estate Resident	\$271,785.00
Real Estate, Non-Resident	62,315.00
Personal Estate, Resident	67,505.00
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	17,185.00
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	\$418,790.00

Assessments.

State Tax	\$2,309.61
County Tax	537.77
Schools	1,000.00
Highways	1,000.00
Bridges	300.00
Cutting Bushes	200.00
Breaking down snow	800.00
Text Books	150.00
Repairs on School houses	400.00
Support of Poor and other expenses.....	2,000.00
State Road	250.00
Lighting streets of Kezar Falls	50.00
Memorial	20.00
Repairs on Town Farm Buildings	200.00
Brown Tail Moth	300.00
Overlay	89.57
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Assessment	9,606.95
Supplementary Tax	87.25
Brown Tail Moth	39.84
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Committment	\$9,734.04

Number of Polls assessed.....	295
Poll Tax	\$2.75
Rate of taxation021

TOTALS OF ALL ORDERS DRAWN.

Town Officers	\$675.60
Town Farm	1,765.16
Paupers not on farm	300.24
Abatements	143.45
Miscellaneous	246.81

Highway, Summer 1906	2.25
Highway, Summer 1908	12.00
Highway, Summer 1909	56.21
Highway, Summer 1910	1,684.84
Highway, Winter 1908-'09	2.50
Highway, Winter 1909-'10	257.68
Highway, Winter 1910-'11	575.04
Brown Tail Moths	258.45
State Road	478.54
Repairs, Town Farm Buildings	154.62
Memorial	11.50
Lighting Streets, Kezar Falls Village.....	50.00
Parsonsfield Seminary	406.00
School House repairs	128.03
Text Books	129.97
Schools	2,734.26
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	\$10,073.15

RESOURCES.

Cash in treasury	\$1,624.59
Due from W. H. Lochlin, board of colt..	25.00
P. W. Benton, collector 1910.....	39.75
Due from State pensions	96.00
Due from State, State road	239.27
Due from Town of Newfield tuition...	30.50
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	\$2,055.11
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	\$2,055.11

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding orders	\$450.71
Due W. H. Locklin and wife	150.00
Balance due text-books account	102.93
Balance due schools	278.88
Balance due schoolhouse repairs.....	324.37
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	\$1,306.89
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Excess of resources over liabilities.....	\$ 748.22

POOR AND GENERAL TOWN EXPENSES.

Town Farm	\$1,765.16
Town Officers	675.60
Paupers not on farm	300.24

Abatements	143.45
Miscellaneous	246.81
Highway, summer 1906	2.25
Highway, summer 1908	12.00
Highway, summer 1909	56.21
Highway, winter 1908 and '09	2.50
Highway, winter 1909 and '10	257.68

\$3,461.90

Funds Available to Meet General Town Expenses	
Appropriations	\$2,000.00
Supplementary tax	87.25
Overlay	89.57
Rufus Allen, board of child, Town Farm.....	26.50
Refunded dog tax, 1909	120.00
Auctioneers license	2.00
Interest and error in road bill	51.69
Collector, 1909	40.05
Receipts from Town Farm	1,080.83
Balance unexpended Memorial	8.50
Balance unexpended, repairs Town Farm build- ings	45.38
Balance unexpended browntail moths	41.55
Balance unexpended highways, winter '10, '11...	224.96

\$3,818.28

Balance

356.38

COMMON SCHOOLS.

Leslie Alley, janitor	\$2.00
Fred N. Leavitt, two cords wood	9.00
George F. Chapman, conveyance	44.00
Mrs. Viola Kezar, conveyance	32.00
Ellsworth Burbank, janitor	1.00
Homer Glidden, janitor	1.00
Town of Effingham, N. H., wood	4.00
Town of Effingham, N. H., teaching	50.40
Ellsworth Burbank, janitor	1.38
Homer Glidden, janitor	1.38
Howard Doe, conveyance	40.00
L. R. Hussey, conveyance	50.00
Susie Merrill, teaching	80.00
Edith Weeman, janitor	2.50
Lena Strout, janitor	2.50
Ruby Boynton, teaching	54.00

Russell Leavitt, janitor	2.25
Russell Leavitt, janitor	2.75
Russell Leavitt, wood fitting	1.25
S. Maude Lougee, teaching	80.00
Ethel Doe Leavitt, teaching	63.00
Ethel Doe Leavitt, janitor	2.25
Marion Durgin, teaching	88.00
Lena M. Strout, teaching	80.00
George F. Wentworth, teaching	88.00
Frederick Trueworthy, conveyance	40.00
L. E. Sanborn, 1½ cord wood	6.00
Lilla E. Gentleman, teaching in part	48.00
Lawrence Gentleman, janitor, part	1.50
Lawrence Gentleman, janitor	0.75
Lilla E. Gentleman, teaching	24.00
N. May Harendeane, teaching, part	32.00
W. M. Meserve, 1¾ cords wood	8.32
S. D. Boynton, wood	12.50
Sokokis Lumber Co., wood	1.50
Mrs. Marion Durgin, teaching	40.00
F. Ruby Boynton, janitor	2.75
F. Ruby Boynton, teaching	66.00
May Harendeane, teaching	48.00
May Harendeane, janitor	2.50
Mrs. Marion Durgin, teaching	48.00
Celia E. Strout, conveyance	29.00
Charles W. Davis, 3 cords wood	12.00
John B. Lord, 1 cord wood	5.00
Ansel S. Davis, wood	4.00
Lena M. Strout, teaching	93.50
Kezar Falls Mfg. Co., 1½ cords wood	5.75
George W. Lord, 2¼ cords wood	11.25
J. W. Bickford, 3¾ cords wood	13.00
George F. Wentworth, teaching	88.00
Mildred Hodsdon, janitor	2.25
George F. Wentworth, janitor	2.75
Lena Benson, teaching	66.00
Lena Benson, janitor	2.75
Frederick Trueworthy, conveyance	44.00
Sadie Russell, teaching	70.00
Sadie Russell, janitor	2.50
L. R. Hussey, conveyance	49.50
Edith Weeman, cleaning	0.75
Edith Weeman, kindlings	0.50
J. F. Bridges, conveyance	3.00

Frank J. Wentworth, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood	2.40
Frederick Trueworthy, conveyance	40.00
George F. Wentworth, janitor	2.25
George F. Wentworth, teaching	72.00
Flora M. Eastman, janitor	2.50
Flora M. Eastman, teaching	80.00
Sara L. Russell, janitor	3.00
Sara L. Russell, teaching	84.00
Florence Day, janitor	2.25
Florence Day, teaching	63.00
S. Maude Lougee, teaching	80.00
May Haredeane, janitor	3.00
Marion G. Durgin, janitor	2.25
Marion G. Durgin, teaching	72.00
Lena M. Strout, teaching	85.00
Lena M. Strout, janitor	2.50
F. Ruby Boynton, janitor	2.75
F. Ruby Boynton, teaching	66.00
S. Maude Lougee, janitor	2.50
May Haredeane, teaching	64.00
L. R. Hussey, conveyance	45.00
S. Maude Lougee, teaching	88.00
Harry B. Pratt, conveyance	50.00
Flora M. Eastman, janitor	2.75
Flora M. Eastman, teaching	88.00
May Haredeane, teaching	32.00
Town of Effingham, part expense	12.13
J. Merrill Lord, $2\frac{1}{2}$ cords wood	10.00
S. Maude Lougee, janitor	2.75
P. W. Benton, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood	2.25

\$2,734.26

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Balance, 1910	274.46
From State	1,618.93
School Fund	40.00
Tuition and conveyance	79.75

\$3,013.14

Balance unexpended\$278.88

SCHOOLHOUSE REPAIRS.

S. Maude Lougee, repairs North road	\$0.50
Will Sanborn, cleaning Fenderson schoolhouse and use of stove	3.00

A. Cross, building shelves at Kezar Falls	4.78
Frank Day, labor on schoolhouse E. Parsonsfield.....	1.50
Ansel S. Davis, cash paid for repairs on Maple- wood schoolhouse	23.00
George W. Lord, labor on Fenderson schoolhouse.....	1.50
L. E. Kendall, school supplies, Fenderson.....	15.25
Edith M. Weeman, supplies Eliot school	0.55
E. R. Bachelder, steel roofing for Kezar Falls house	74.00
E. R. Bachelder, supplies schoolhouse, Kezar Falls....	0.45
Fred Collomy, repairs Eliot	3.50
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	\$128.03
Appropriation	\$400.00
Refunded from P. W. Benton, shingles	22.00
Balance last year	30.40
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	\$452.40
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Balance unexpended	\$324.37

TEXT BOOKS.

E. E. Babb, supplies	1.65
E. E. Babb, supplies	2.50
Supt. A. J. Wolton, supplies	2.25
Town of Effingham, part supplies	7.28
S. Maude Lougee, supplies	2.74
Fred I. Whiton, freight and express	3.48
Ginn & Co., text books	39.84
Newell White, report cards	1.00
Newell White, Supt. orders	0.50
E. E. Babb, school supplies	3.20
J. L. Hannell, cravons	6.25
Ginn & Co., text books	9.60
American Book Co., text books	1.44
American Book Co., text books	28.80
Ginn & Co.,	4.80
E. E. Babb Co., erasers	2.50
N. J. Foss, express	1.40
Marion Durgin, supplies	1.50
George T. Wentworth, express on books	0.50
Ginn & Co., text books	2.00

S. Maude Lougee, supplies	1.94
Ginn & Co., text books	4.80

	<u>\$129.97</u>
Appropriation	150.00
Balance from last year	82.90
	<u>\$232.90</u>

Balance	<u>\$102.93</u>
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PARSONSFIELD SEMINARY.

Piper Fund income	\$125.00
Piper Fund income	75.00
Piper Fund income	206.00
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Received from Treasurer Piper Fund	\$406.00

HIGHWAY, SUMMER 1906.

Moses Chase, labor	<u>\$2.25</u>
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HIGHWAY, SUMMER 1908.

G. F. Granville, labor	\$3.00
Frank Andrews, labor	1.50
George F. Chapman, cart and wheels, 1908.....	7.50
	<u>\$12.00</u>

HIGHWAY, SUMMER 1909.

D. W. Downs, cutting bushes	\$2.50
L. A. Nutter, labor	1.50
Mrs. John Bennett, gravel	3.50
Simon Brown, labor	4.50
Eugene Day, labor	2.50
Sokokis Lumber Co., Bridge plank	3.10
Alvah Lane, labor	0.90
G. J. Huntress, labor	0.55
Melvin Perle, labor	0.75
Melvin Perle, labor	1.20
John M. Chase, bridge plank	12.30
William Mason, labor	6.30
Horace Brown, labor	4.50
Fred Roberts, gravel	1.50

Cyrus Foss, labor	0.60
Frank Day, labor	2.22
H. D. Moulton, labor	0.50
Fulton Collomy, labor	0.79
Leland Boothby, labor	4.45
Samuel Boothby, labor	1.20
E. R. Bachelder, pick handle	0.85

\$56.21

HIGHWAY, SUMMER 1910.

A. H. Kenison, labor	\$36.15
Richard Dearborn, bridge plank	45.12
Bridge Mfg. Co., culvert	37.80
Robert Benson, labor	18.75
F. G. Gammon, labor	21.75
Arthur M. Chapman, labor	27.75
Preston Chapman, labor	8.25
Elmer Edwards, labor	3.19
Edwin Leavitt, labor	23.90
Edwin Leavitt, labor	16.44
A. L. Stuart, labor	20.25
George Tripp, labor and shavings	4.50
L. H. Merrill, labor and gravel	3.25
Sokokis Lumber Co., bridge plank	36.46
H. W. Leavitt, labor	26.45
Everett Wentworth, bolts, Porter bridge	2.00
W. S. Hasty, labor	2.40
S. O. Hasty, labor	1.50
H. W. Leavitt, labor	8.00
L. L. Kirkton, labor	4.81
L. B. Merrill, labor	53.00
L. L. Kirkton, labor	3.75
Fred Morrill, labor	6.12
Sumner Edwards, labor	6.00
Andrew Smith, labor	4.50
Fred W. Scribner, labor	0.75
John Benson, labor	23.60
Edwin Lord, labor	8.80
I. B. Moulton, labor	1.50
W. A. McDonald, labor	0.75
N. H. Churchill, labor	2.75
F. W. Towne, spikes	0.70
W. T. Norton, tiling	1.00
Forest L. Neal, labor	15.00

Forest P. Leavitt, labor	15.87
Bertha Towle, labor	15.25
F. A. Gilpatrick, labor	9.00
Charles Perry, labor	2.67
E. F. Stanley, lumber	9.80
A. H. Kenison, labor and material	17.79
A. H. Kenison, cash paid for help	32.36
Charles A. Dearborn, labor	2.00
James Edwards, labor	3.75
Ida Churchill, bridge stringers	3.00
Charles Hodsdon, labor on highway and bridges....	56.50
M. H. Towle, labor	4.50
M. H. Towle, labor	11.25
Edwin A. Leavitt, labor	16.00
Charles A. Dearborn, labor	14.93
Charles A. Dearborn, labor	10.00
George Chace, labor	8.25
Allen Hamblin, labor	8.00
Edwin Alley, labor	5.25
W. Edwards, labor and gravel	16.70
Fred Weeks, labor	7.20
Millbury Newell, labor	8.00
Fred Roberts, labor	0.75
W. F. O. Ridlon, labor	3.75
Howard Smith, labor	4.50
Will Clark, labor	0.75
Will Clark, labor	8.25
William Fenderson, labor	9.84
William Fenderson, labor	5.50
J. H. Merrill, labor	8.00
N. W. Fenderson, labor	3.00
Oren Sprague, labor	4.50
Ray Burbank, labor	6.20
Daniel Chellis, labor	4.50
Ernest Pease, labor	3.25
Daniel Wilson, labor	7.00
L. C. Boothby, labor	18.75
Leon C. Marston, labor	24.90
George R. H. D. Manton, labor	24.65
A. H. Milliken, labor	11.00
E. B. Glidden bridge plank	33.15
A. H. Milliken, labor	12.00
George Lord, labor	7.50
Waldo H. Hanson, labor	27.13
E. H. Hoyt, labor and team	15.71

Victory Hobbs, shavings	9.00
B. F. Linscott, labor	7.50
W. W. Burbank, labor	7.50
Mark Crenner, labor	2.75
G. F. Granville, labor	1.80
Frank Boody, labor	3.00
Moses Roberts, labor	2.25
Chester Bisbee, bridge plank	9.23
W. M. Meserve, dynamite	6.08
John French, labor	3.00
John French, labor	2.25
M. Newell, labor	3.25
H. W. Leavitt, labor	3.50
C. E. Hodsdon, labor on bridge, Kezar Falls	4.00
S. D. Boynton, labor	5.55
David Linscott, labor with team	4.50
L. D. Linscott, labor	1.50
G. F. Gammon, labor	3.00
J. M. Lord, labor	2.25
Arthur Guptill, labor	1.50
C. E. Hodsdon, labor	3.00
Alvah Lane, labor	2.29
C. E. Weeks, labor	5.25
Abbie Lane, labor	1.50
Bennett Moulton, labor	4.95
A. E. Shea, labor	6.45
A. H. Kennerson labor on Mudgett bridge.....	12.63
S. D. Boynton, labor.....	3.75
C. A. Dearborn, labor	52.10
Frank Day, labor	9.00
Frank Day, labor	3.00
Alonzo Moulton, labor	3.00
Sokokis Lumber Co., lumber for bridges.....	67.20
Samuel Boothby, labor	1.00
W. G. O. Ridlon, labor	3.95
Cyrus Foss, labor	3.00
Plummer Wilkinson, labor	5.25
C. A. Dearborn, labor	2.50
A. S. Hamblin, labor	2.25
John Benson, labor	4.00
J. A. Kennard, bridge stringer	1.50
G. A. Sanborn, labor bridge stringer.....	20.40
S. Edwards, labor	2.00
E. M. Dearbon, labor	5.45
E. M. Dearbon, labor	1.50

C. S. H. Dutch, labor	3.30
Chas. Moulton, labor	8.30
Simeon Hasty, labor	1.50
F. T. Benson, labor	1.50
F. T. Benson, labor	1.50
J. Bridges, labor .....	.75
E. G. Pease, labor	2.00
Geo. Waterhouse, labor	3.00
Arthur Pease, labor	1.20
Eugene M. Doe, labor	10.50
Thatcher Burnham, labor	6.75
J. M. Weymouth, labor .....	.75
J. M. Weymouth, labor	1.75
Chas. R. T. H. Doe, labor	9.00
Geo. A. Taylor, labor	15.00
Simon Brown, labor	8.25
Sumner Edwards, labor	2.00
Asa D. Johnson, labor	9.63
C. A. Dearborn, labor	10.23
J. Rodgers, labor	1.25
C. L. Neal, labor	10.40
A. R. Leavitt, labor, material	5.75
C. W. Davis, labor and cash paid	32.13
John A. Merrill, labor	1.50
John Whiting, labor	3.75
Fred Reed, labor	25.37
T. Henderson, labor .....	.75
Chas. Towle, labor	18.37
J. C. Dennett, labor	3.50
Hannaford & Gile, bridge plank	11.51
Charles W. Davis, services as Road Commissioner ..	35.75
Laforest Q. Doe, labor	3.50
Allen Gaines, labor	8.75
Lorenzo Edwards, labor	3.00
Lorenzo Edwards, labor	1.00
A. S. Hamblin, labor	2.50
Cyrus Foss, labor	3.95
Wm. Sanborn, labor	1.50
Wm. Sanborn, labor	5.15
Cyrus Foss, labor	1.50
L. C. Boothby, labor	10.05
P. Wilkinson, labor	1.50
O. E. Watson, hauling plank	3.25
O. E. Watson, labor	4.00
O. E. Watson, labor	2.00

Geo. Chase, labor	3.00
E. L. Dearborn, labor	2.40
J. A. Kenard, labor	5.25
Kezar Falls Mfg. Co., labor	5.61
L. C. Leavitt, labor with team	4.65
Silas Boothby, labor	9.92
S. M. Boothby, labor	5.00
Benjamin Nason, labor	1.65
H. W. Colcord, labor	3.90
S. G. Pease, supplies	2.15
E. R. Bachelder, supplies	5.93
Nathaniel Reed, labor	1.37
P. W. Benton, labor	3.50
A. T. West, labor	7.00
C. A. Dearborn, labor	10.00
J. H. Merrill, labor	3.50
Lorenzo Edwards, labor	1.50

\$1,684.84

Appropriation 1,500.00

Overdraft \$184.84

HIGHWAYS, WINTER 1908-'09.

Eugene Doe, labor breaking down snow.....	\$1.00
Daniel Durgin, labor breaking down snow.....	1.50

\$2.50

WINTER, 1909-'10.

Benjamin Nason, labor breaking down snow.....	\$3.15
F. A. Nutter, labor breaking down snow.....	34.00
Benjamin Linscott, labor breaking down snow.....	3.00
L. B. Merrill, labor breaking down snow.....	29.50
Everett Pendexter, labor breaking down snow.....	7.60
L. R. Hussey, labor breaking down snow.....	7.33
C. T. Wentworth, labor breaking down snow.....	5.50
Leon Hussey, moving roller	1.00
Daniel Chellis, breaking down snow.....	3.30
O. L. Banks, breaking down snow.....	5.85
J. M. Lord, breaking down snow.....	1.80
A. M. Chapman, labor	6.15
C. C. Moulton, labor	1.60
H. D. Moulton, labor	2.65

N. W. Fenderson, breaking down snow.....	3.00
Silas Boothby, breaking down snow.....	9.62
J. C. Chellis, breaking down snow	4.00
Sumner Edwards breaking down snow.....	2.50
Charles L. Moulton, breaking down snow.....	2.70
J. W. Bickford, breaking down snow.....	2.50
J. F. Bickford, breaking down snow.....	3.00
J. G. Fenderson, breaking down snow.....	1.35
W. W. Burbank, breaking down snow.....	2.25
E. G. Pease, breaking down snow.....	2.00
C. E. Weeks, breaking down snow.....	.97
M. H. Towle, breaking down snow.....	6.81

HIGHWAY, WINTER 1909-'10.

S. O. Hasty, breaking down snow	\$4.30
Geo. W. Lord, breaking down snow.....	2.00
Leland Boothby, breaking down snow	5.80
Ray Burbank, breaking down snow .....	.75
W. H. Collomy, shoveling snow.....	1.50
N. H. Churchill, snowing Porter bridge.....	6.00
C. S. H. Dutch, labor.....	2.00
Andrew J. Smith, labor.....	1.25
G. A. Sanborn, labor	15.00
Daniel Wilson, labor	8.00
A. H. Milliken, labor	8.30
Charles L. Weeman, labor	25.50
Chester West, labor	10.00
Fred A. Nutter, hauling and housing snow roller....	2.00
S. B. Stanley, labor.....	8.00
Albia W. Lane, labor.....	1.50
J. F. Fenderson, labor.....	2.00
Geo. W. Howard, labor .....	.75

\$257.68

HIGHWAY, WINTER 1910-'11.

L. E. Sanborn, labor	\$17.00
H. J. Glidden, labor	16.00
George A. Sanborn, labor	14.10
B. F. Linscott, labor	3.00
Charles Towle, labor	2.00
George and H. D. Marston	15.60
J. M. Weymouth	5.00
Daniel Wilson	14.10

J. C. Dennett	1.25
Luther Colby, labor	1.00
Forrest P. Leavitt, labor	3.75
Forrest Neal, labor	3.00
C. L. Neal, labor	21.25
W. M. Meserve, labor	40.63
Charles W. Davis, labor and cash paid on roller.....	5.50
Charles & C. L. Moulton, labor	12.60
D. S. Chellis, labor	5.70
J. F. Fenderson, labor	1.50
H. N. & A. H. Milliken, labor	16.65
C. C. Moulton	6.00
P. E. Wilkinson, labor	3.07
Leland Boothby, labor	14.55
W. W. Burbank, labor	7.95
George W. Lord, labor	7.25
C. A. Dearborn, labor	12.00
H. D. Moulton, labor	13.95
Raymond Burbank, labor	4.65
C. K. Foss, labor	1.32
N. W. Fenderson, labor	9.50
E. L. & A. B. Pease, labor	13.52
C. E. Weeks, labor	3.60
L. E. Eastman, labor	4.95
Clarence F. Towle, labor, breaking down snow.....	32.85
Silas Boothby & Son, labor, breaking down snow....	27.06
A. H. Kenison, labor, breaking down snow.....	17.00
A. H. Kenison, labor and cash paid.....	196.19

\$575.04

Appropriation 800.00

Balance unexpended\$224.96

AMOUNT EXPENDED BY ROAD COMMISSIONER

	Summer	Winter
A. H. Kenison	\$682.22	\$213.19
C. A. Dearborn	508.37	198.67
C. W. Davis	494.25	163.18
Total expenditure	\$1684.84	\$575.04

STATE ROAD.

Lester Burbank, labor23.22

Robert Benson, labor	13.57
Ernest Hussey, labor	12.25
Harry Edwards, labor	19.00
A. L. Stewart, labor	23.19
C. C. Andrews, labor	19.00
D. G. Lougee, labor	9.00
John Benson, labor	3.93
Arthur Kenison, labor	28.50
Frank Wentworth, labor	1.50
Arthur Chapman, labor	12.00
Eugene Hoyt, labor	32.42
H. W. Leavitt, labor	44.00
Harry Pratt, labor	51.00
Charles Hogdon, labor	26.00
Hardy Merrill, labor	13.57
Walter Anderson, labor	8.75
Fred Collomy, labor	23.25
George Young, split stone	52.00
Harry Pratt, labor and telephone	42.70
S. G. Pease, dynamite	2.75
W. T. Norton, material	4.00
E. B. Wadleigh, labor	1.29
W. D. D. Churchill, use of plank and lumber	3.00
Kezar Falls Woolen Co., five bags cement	4.96
C. C. Andrews, labor and lighting	1.71
W. W. Burbank, labor	2.00
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	\$478.54

BROWNTAIL MOTHS.

Philip E. Sanborn, picking nests	\$2.25
Alton Burbank, picking nests	5.00
Edward Sanborn, picking nests	5.00
L. E. Burbank, picking nests	25.00
Ellsworth Burbank, picking nests	11.00
Charles Fournier, picking nests	3.00
Arthur Gilman, picking nests	3.00
Guy Smith, picking nests	2.00
Harry B. Pratt, picking nests	21.00
George D. Waterhouse, picking nests	2.00
W. W. Burbank, picking nests	28.00
Raymond Burbank, picking nests	22.50
E. W. Hussey, picking nests, Mudgett Farm	4.50
E. W. Hussey, picking nests	7.50
L. R. Hussey, picking nests, Mudgett Farm	4.50

L. R. Hussey, picking nests	7.50
A. J. Moulton, picking nests	2.80
Leroy Thompson, picking nests	8.25
George F. Tripp, picking nests, S. D. Hobson land....	6.00
Wilbur Milliken, picking nests, Hussey orchard.....	0.40
J. C. Chellis, picking nests, Hussey Orchard.....	0.40
J. C. Chellis, picking nests	1.40
J. C. Chellis, picking nests	31.75
J. C. Chellis, picking nests	0.60
Tripp Linscott, picking nests, Clark place.....	5.50
Wilbur Milliken, gathering nests	6.00
Moses Roberts, gathering nests	2.20
Daniel Wilson, gathering nests on M. B. Bailey place..	0.50
L. Hardy Merrill, gathering nests	6.00
Arthur Chapman, gathering nests	9.75
Sylvanus Hartford, gathering nests, Chick farm....	10.50
W. H. Newbegin, to one tree pruner.....	1.25
Woodbury Eldridge, gathering nests on E. B. Glid- den place	2.80
Frank Bachelder, gathering nests	2.00
John F. Collomy, gathering nests	3.00
John F. Collomy, gathering nests on Turner farm	1.05
Webb Smith, Printing Co., to notices	2.55
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	\$258.45
Appropriation	300.00
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Balance unexpended	\$ 41.55

REPAIRS TOWN FARM BUILDINGS, STABLE.

George Roberts, lumber	\$42.59
Fred Morrill, lumber	2.50
Ralph Burbank, labor	11.25
Lester Burbank, labor	6.50
J. H. Woodsome, shingles and clapboards	32.00
C. E. Libby, windows	6.75
George W. Roberts, lumber.....	8.00
Frank Benson, labor	15.00
S. O. Hasty, labor	13.75
W. W. Burbank, labor	8.60
L. E. Kendall, supplies	1.28
L. E. Kendall, supplies	6.40
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	\$154.62

Appropriation	200.00
Balance unexpended	45.38

ABATEMENTS.

P. W. Benton, collector	\$143.45
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MEMORIAL.

T. W. Burnham, decorating graves	\$1.50
John Lougee, decorating graves	1.50
A. J. Moulton, services Memorial Day	1.50
L. E. Burbank, flags	4.50
H. H. Doe, decorating graves	2.50

	\$11.50
Appropriation	20.00
Balance unexpended	8.50

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. M. Leavitt, M. D., births and deaths.....	\$2.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, blank books.....	17.35
L. E. Burbank, 4 doz. blanks	1.20
Webb Smith Printing Co., reports	37.60
A. J. Moulton, postage and stationery	3.00
L. Thompson, watering tub, 1909	3.00
A. H. Milliken, burying horse	2.00
Daniel O. Blazo, watering tub	3.00
Elden Smith, error in assessment	3.40
E. E. Ravnolds, two hens killed by dogs	1.50
C. C. Andrews, use of telephone	0.70
C. L. Weeman, posting warrant	4.50
C. L. Weeman, looking after unlicensed dogs	10.00
C. L. Weeman, watering tub	3.00
A. N. Edgecomb, watering tub	3.00
John Young, Est., error in assessment and valuation...	4.20
G. A. Sanborn, watering tub	3.00
Fred A. Nutter, watering tub	3.00
Ansel S. Davis, disinfecting house of G. A. Sanborn..	25.50
Susie Parks, postage	3.70
L. E. Burbank, supplies Town house	3.55
Joseph Weeks, watering tub	3.00
Lord and Fenderson, insurance Town farm buildings.	30.00
Webb Smith Printing Co., printing letter heads.....	0.50
P. W. Benton, watering tub	3.00

P. W. Benton, services as moderator	3.00
William C. McCue, postage and telephone charges....	4.36
O. L. Bank, watering tub	3.00
George W. Weeks, M. D., births and deaths	1.00
Chester Bisbee, watering tub	1.50
J. M. Leavitt, M. D., births and deaths, returned to Clerk	1.25
W. W. Burbank, use of telephone	1.00
Granite State Fire Insurance Co., premiums of Kezar Falls and E. Parsonsfield schoolhouses....	54.00
John H. Foss, watering tub	3.00
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	\$246.81

LIGHTING STREETS KEZAR FALLS VILLAGE.

Kezar Falls Light and Power Co.	\$50.00
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Appropriation	50.00

PAUPERS NOT ON TOWN FARM.

Lord and Fenderson, expenses on Emma Miles case..	17.65
W. W. Burbank, on account Emma Miles.....	15.00
Clara Hussey, board Charles Moore	18.00
Town of Shapleigh, supplies for Leon Brown.....	38.08
J. G. Fenderson, board of King Welch	45.00
L. E. Burbank, expense account J. N. Richardson...	4.00
Clara Hussey, board Charles Moore	18.00
W. W. Burbank, expense account J. N. Richardson....	3.00
F. H. Townsend, supplies for King Welch	17.15
W. W. Burbank, expense account King Welch	9.50
Clara Hussey, board of Charles Moore	30.00
Clara Hussey, board of Charles Moore	18.00
Clara Hussey, board of Charles Moore	10.00
J. Merrill Lord, to expense on King Welch	16.46
H. Lorin Merrill, express on trunk of King Welch....	0.75
W. Adams & Son, pair of shoes	1.50
S. G. Pease, supplies for Charles Moore.....	22.65
Lord and Fenderson, services in Charles Niles case..	15.50
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	\$300.24

TOWN FARM.

W. H. Straw, sawing 1,785 lumber	\$14.66
L. E. Burbank, pair oxen, Town farm	160.00

L. E. Burbank, pair oxen, Town farm	135.00
Rufus Allen and wife, in full as master and mistress of town farm to April 18, '01.....	162.00
Harry Pratt, one pair oxen, Town farm	188.00
A. E. Haynes, grain and groceries from Nov. 26 to April 19, 1910	53.30
J. W. Lord, three pigs	14.00
Frank Foss, one cow, Town farm	50.00
L. E. Sanborn, phosphate	15.50
James M. Dow, blacksmith work	2.50
James Foss, two cows	85.00
Dr. A. S. Davis, medical services	23.00
Thatcher Burnham, use of bull, 1910	3.75
Reuben Fenderson, supplies Town farm	61.82
W. H. Locklin and wife, services as master and mistress	100.00
H. B. Pratt, yoke of steers	145.00
Pendexter Bros., grain	5.50
Dr. Ansel S. Davis, medical services	9.75
John H. Woodward, one pair of cattle	135.00
W. H. Locklin and wife, services as master and mistress	50.00
Reuben Fenderson, supplies	58.24
W. M. Meserve, supplies	85.53
Reuben Fenderson, supplies	58.24
F. W. Towne, supplies	97.33
Pendexter Bros., supplies	18.47
W. H. Locklin, money paid for supplies	37.77
E. R. Bachelder, hardware	3.75
S. G. Pease, groceries	58.64
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	\$1,765.16

RECEIPTS FROM TOWN FARM.

4 oxen	\$382.50
Calf	6.00
1 pair oxen	150.00
Board of child	26.50
1 pair oxen	175.00
Pork	12.75
Apples	74.20
Cream	33.40
Val. on cattle	20.00
1 pair cattle	135.00
Calf	8.00

Cream	55.57
Hide	1.90
Use of Oxen	0.50
Produce	26.01
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	\$1,107.33

INVENTORY TOWN FARM FEB. 20, 1911.

1 pair oxen, 6 ft. 10 in.	\$210.00
1 pair steers, 5 ft. 9 in.	140.00
5 Cows	225.00
1 Calf	12.00
2 Shoats	35.00
35 Hens	26.00
25 lbs. pork	3.75
7 bu. potatoes	1.75
4 lbs. butter	1.20
5 lbs. lard	0.70
1 lb. tea	0.50
1 lb. coffee	0.25
40 bu. corn	10.00
1 bbl. flour	6.00
2 bags grain	3.00
15 bu. oats	7.50
10 cords wood	30.00
15 tons hay	225.00
250 cakes ice	
6 M shingles	15.00
150 Clapboards	3.00
4 bu. beets	2.00
13 bu. apples	5.00
6 bu. beans	18.00

Respectfully submitted,

L E. BURBANK.

W. W. BURBANK.

Overseers of Poor, Parsonsfield.

UNPAID TAXES, 1910.

Edward Chase	\$2.75
Frank Edward	6.95
Fred Collomy	1.46
George Day	2.75
Fred Nutter	2.58
Merle Keyes	2.75

Charles Peary	2.75
Oscar Peary	4.85
George Peary	2.75
James Bridges	4.50
Eldridge Woodbury	0.16
Leon C. Wheeler	2.75

TOWN OFFICERS.

L. C. Leavitt, services as Selectman from Feb. 21 to March 14, 1910	\$4.00
L. E. Burbank, services as Selectman from Feb. 21 to March 14, 1910	6.00
William C. McCue, Supt. of schools, third quarter...	10.00
E. C. Burnham, services on school board, 1909.....	13.00
A. J. Moulton, services as town clerk, 1909.....	10.00
A. J. Moulton, enrolling militia	2.00
A. J. Moulton, recording Vital Statistics.....	6.60
W. W. Burbank, services as Selectman from Feb.21 to March 14, 1910	6.00
Charles W. Davis, services as Road Commissioner, 1910	40.00
W. W. Burbank, services as Selectman in part, 1910..	30.00
William C. McCue, Supt. of schools, fourth quarter..	25.00
A. H. Kennison, services as Road Commissioner....	50.00
William C. McCue, services as Supt. of schools, first quarter	25.00
F. C. Milliken, services as Ballot clerk.....	1.50
Hardy Merrill, services as Ballot Clerk.....	1.50
George E. Perkins, services as Ballot Clerk.....	1.50
E. H. Hoyt, services as Ballot Clerk.....	1.50
Charles W. Davis, services as Road Commissioner....	10.00
L. E. Burbank, services as Selectman Nov., 1910, to Feb., 1911	10.00
William C. McCue, services as Supt. of schools, sec- ond quarter	25.00
Dr. A. S. Davis, services as S. S. Committee	10.00
Charles W. Davis, services as Memorial committee....	1.50
L. E. Burbank, services as Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor	88.50
W. W. Burbank, services as Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor	50.00
H. B. Pratt, services as Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor	67.00

P. W. Benton, services as member of School Board, 1909-'10	10.00
P. W. Benton, services as Collector	130.00
George E. Davis, services as Treasurer	40.00
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	\$675.60

School Report

MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE

- P. W. Benton, chairman, term expires 1911.
 E. C. Burnham, term expires 1912.
 A. S. Davis, term expires 1913.
 W. C. McCue, secretary, ex officio.

SCHOOL CALENDAR.

- Spring term of ten weeks opens April 10.
 Fall term of twelve weeks opens Sept. 5.
 Winter term of eleven weeks opens Dec. 11.

HOLIDAYS

- April 19, May 30, Dec. 25, Jan. 1, Feb. 22.
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SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the School Committee of Parsonsfield:

Mr. Chairman:—I am taking the liberty in this report of departing from the usual custom of enumerating the various repairs made, text-books purchased and other minor details of the schools. In its stead I am confining my remarks to a need which appears to me to be of great importance to the true welfare of the school system of Parsonsfield, and that is the combining of some of the smaller schools with larger ones. When first assuming my duties as superintendent of schools I was impressed with the urgent need of such a step, but meeting with much opposition, I concluded that perhaps it was another case of high ideals blinding practical application. After what I believe to be an honest and impartial investigation I am convinced that it is not only ideal but practical.

Judging from some of the arguments used against the

centralization of schools, it is evident that some citizens fail to realize that there have been many changes in school work. School districts have been abolished. School money is no longer distributed to districts in proportion to the number of pupils. If it were, some of the pupils in the so-called districts would receive little schooling. There is really no such thing today as "Our School," referring to the property of a particular neighborhood. It is, and should be no more the property of the citizens of that locality than of those living in a different part of the town. That plaintive and oft repeated cry, "They are going to take our school away from us," when properly analyzed, carries no meaning and is devoid of argument. When school authorities convey pupils to another school they are simply giving to these children a better opportunity for an education.

In many of the schools there is little left but the memory of former days. What an inspiration to younger generations to listen to the rehearsal of the events which of old transpired in these schoolhouses. How vividly the father and mother picture the long line of stalwart boys and girls "toeing the mark" for the daily spelling, each striving to occupy and hold the coveted position at the head. With what tender memories they recall the sleighing party to the neighboring district when with their picked spellers they wrested the championship from those who thought themselves invincible. They still retain that roguish twinkle of the eve when recounting once more the stories of their school pranks.

Yes, what an inspiration to that youth of fifteen who today plods his lonely way to the schoolhouse on the hill with its spacious room filled with vacant seats.

What an inspiration as alone he toes the mark vainly striving to find out whether he is at the head or foot.

What interesting stories of his schooldays he will recall in his old age. How eagerly he must look forward to that sleighing party when with joyous shouts he, with his teachers as chaperons, will array himself against the mighty forces in the little red schoolhouse in the valley.

In all seriousness, I ask you, if it is strange that such a boy leaves school as soon as he reaches the age of fifteen. It is almost impossible for him to take a live interest under such conditions, however dear this school may have been to his parents in bygone days. He not only craves the companionship in school of those of his own age, but except in

rare cases he absolutely needs it to stimulate him to do his best. It is not hard to understand why a bright girl of thirteen in a small school is with difficulty doing fifth grade work, while a girl of the same age with no more native ability is with apparent ease doing eighth grade work in a larger school. Is it strange that many country boys and girls leave school at the earliest opportunity with hardly a fair sixth grade education at their command.

The responsibility for this loss to the children rests upon the shoulders of those placed in authority. With all vested authority comes responsibility and with that responsibility the right to use one's judgment in performing the duties of his office. After a careful consideration of the right of all concerned in a given question, it then becomes the duty of officials to do what in their judgment they consider the best thing to be done under existing circumstances. It is not what a parent may desire that should govern the action of the school authorities, but what they in all fairness deem the wisest course to pursue. It is not an act of kindness to deny a child better school privileges because its parents fail to properly feed and cloth it. To separate it from others in better circumstances injures the child and encourages the indolence of the parents. Our first thought in all such cases is not the convenience of the parent, but the welfare of the child.

The centralization of schools has been successfully accomplished in many surrounding towns; in most cases resulting in marked improvement in school work. Not satisfied with conveyance provided by some drivers, many towns now own covered vehicles for this purpose, renting them to those who contract to convey pupils. It is not uncommon for children to be conveyed five miles; a distance much farther than would be necessary in Parsonsfield. Educationally a child too young to be conveyed is much better off to remain at home till older than to spend its early plastic years in a poor school forming habits of indolence.

In closing let me urge you to give this matter careful thought, placing above everything else the good of these young lives, upon whose shoulders in a few years the burdens which now rest upon yours will fall. If in looking backward over the years you can now see how your preparation for the responsibilities of life might have been bettered; look to it that in so far as you are able the children of your town shall have the best it is possible for you to give them.

INSTRUCTIONS TO TEACHERS.

In rural and graded schools pupils must not choose their own studies.

Require written excuses from parents for all absences or dismissals.

Notify truant officers of truancy at once.

Corporal punishment may be used in extreme cases of discipline.

Do not strike a child on the head.

Above the third grade send report cards to parents twice each term.

Write order of exercises on board and follow closely each day.

Be present at the schoolroom at least fifteen minutes before each session.

Read to pupils at least one good book each term.

Attendance is required at teachers' meetings.

At close of each term send promptly to the superintendent your register correctly and neatly filled out with ink.

All school entertainments must be under control of teachers who will be held responsible for proper conduct.

The success of a school depends more upon the teacher's individual effort and freedom to arrange the details of her work as she deems best than on the rigid adherence to any prescribed course of study. The following outline is given merely as a guide for those teachers who may wish to know the customary amount of work done in the different grades:

READING.

Grade I For the first six weeks teach the reading of thirty or more familiar words from board, using script. After which use readers provided for first grade continuing board drill throughout the year. Give daily phonetic drill using Ward's Manual.

Grade II Use second grade readers. Continue phonetic drill. Aim for natural and intelligent reading and teach short memory gems.

Grade III Use third grade readers. Give continued close attention to phonetic drill, memory gems and intelligent reading tested by daily oral reproduction.

Grade IV Use fourth grade readers. Emphasize sight reading. Pay close attention to position, clear articulation and correct expression.

Through the remaining grades in connection with the required readers encourage the use of suitable library books for home reading. Inspire your pupils with a love for and appreciation of the best in literature, having them memorize both prose and poetry from standard authors. Instruct your pupils how to use the dictionary intelligently.

ARITHMETIC.

Grade I Teach combinations of numbers from 1 to 10 during second half year. No text-book.

Grade II Combinations of numbers to 25, multiplication tables 2, 3, 4 and 5. No text-book.

Grade III Combinations to 144, Tables 6 to 12. Spring term use Wentworth's Elementary Arithmetic to Chap. III.

Grade IV Complete Elementary book.

Grade V Begin Wentworth Smith Complete, advancing to Fractions.

Grade VI Use Wentworth Smith Complete to Longitude and Time.

Grade VII Use Wentworth Smith Complete to Direct Taxes.

Grade VIII Use Wentworth Smith Complete to Powers and Roots.

Grade IX Complete Wentworth Smith Complete and review.

GRAMMAR.

Grade IV Emerson & Bender, Book I to Part II.

Grade V Emerson & Bender, Book completed.

Grade VI Emerson & Bender, Book II to page 60.

Grade VII Emerson & Bender, Book II to Part II.

Grade VIII Emerson & Bender, Book II to page 250.

Grade X Complete and review.

GEOGRAPHY.

Grade IV Tarr & McMurray's Elementary Geography to page 90.

Grade V Complete Elementary Geography.

Grade VI Tarr & McMurray's Advanced Geography to page 103.

Grade VII Tarr & McMurray's Advanced Geography to page 247.

Grade VIII Complete Advanced Geography.

HISTORY.

Grade VII Frequent reading of elementary history with oral and written reproduction.

Grade VIII Advanced History, using topical method.

Grade IX Complete History at end of fall term.

PHYSIOLOGY.

Grade IX Frequent reading of elementary physiology with oral reproduction during fall term. Advanced text during winter and spring terms, using topical method.

SPELLING.

Throughout the nine grades diligent attention should be paid to both oral and written spelling with definitions of words. In the first three grades words may be selected from reading lessons. During remaining grades use speller provided.

WRITING.

Use Ginn's Medial Writing Books, beginning No. 1 in Grade III.

Give special attention to position and neatness of work.

In Grades I and II words and short sentences from reading lessons should be copied on exercise paper.

FINANCIAL REPORT—COMMON SCHOOLS.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Balance	274.46
State Aid	730.31
School Fund	40.00
Mill Tax	888.62
Effingham Tuition	7.00
Effingham Conveyance	14.00
Cornish Tuition	38.75
Porter conveyance (Due)	10.50
Newfield Tuition (Due)	30.50
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	\$3,034.14

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries	\$2,110.60
Conveyance	466.50
Janitor	66.01

Fuel	112.15
	<u>\$2,755.26</u>
Balance	278.88

TEXT-BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation 1910	\$150.00
Balance 1909	82.90
Ginn & Co., Old Books	2.80
	<u>\$235.70</u>

EXPENDITURES.

N. J. Foss, Express	\$1.40
Marion Durgin, Supplies	1.50
George F. Wentworth, Express .....	.50
Ginn & Co., Books	4.80
S. Maude Lougee, Supplies	1.94
Fred I. Whiton, Express	3.48
Ginn & Co., Books	54.24
Newell White, Books	1.50
E. E. Babb, Books	9.85
J. L. Hammett, Books	6.25
American Book Co., Books	30.24
Supt. A. J. Knowlton, Books	2.25
Town of Effingham, Supplies	7.28
S. Maude Lougee, Supplies	2.74
Ginn & Co., Books	4.80
	<u>\$132.77</u>
Balance	\$102.93

REPAIRS.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation 1910	\$400.00
Balance 1909	\$30.40
	<u>\$430.40</u>

EXPENDITURES.

Will Sanborn, repairs	\$3.00
Almeron Cross, repairs	4.78

Frank Day, repairs	1.50
Ansel S. Davis, repairs	23.00
George W. Lord, repairs	1.50
S. Maude Lougee, repairs50
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	\$34.28
Fred Collomy, repairs	3.50
Edith Weeman, repairs55
E. R. Bachelder, repairs	74.00
E. R. Bachelder, repairs45
L. E. Kendall, repairs	15.25
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	\$128.03
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Balance	\$302.37

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT.

KEZAR FALLS, MAINE. FEB. 6, 1911.

Supt. William McCue, Cornish, Maine:—

Dear Sir: I herewith submit my first annual report as Principal of Parsonsfield Seminary.

The curriculum of the school has been thoroughly revised for the present year and now embraces three regular courses of study—College Preparatory, General English, and Teachers' Training. The two last named courses have throughout the four years definite vocational work, including Agriculture, Manual Training, Teachers' Training and Domestic Science.

The work in Domestic Science is now carried on in a finely equipped laboratory and all classes evince much interest in the subject.

Two years of Normal work are offered in the Teachers' Training Course. In this work much valuable training for rural schools is given. It includes instruction in methods and practice, besides observation work in the schools of the neighborhood. Much interest has been stimulated and developed by the manual training in this course which takes the form of raffia weaving, paper and cardboard construction, clay modelling; and instruction in sewing will be later given. School garden work is also planned for the spring.

In short, we hope to send out graduates to our rural schools who will possess a breadth of training and a sympathy for the work that will make them potent factors in

the progress and up-building of our rural communities.

I wish to comment upon the excellent equipment that the school possesses and we trust that it may be put to the best use, not only by students, but by the rural schools, and by all residents of the town of Parsonsfield.

In this connection I would say that the Seminary is co-operating in every way possible with the teachers of the grade schools. Several meetings of the teachers have already been held and, we believe, with beneficial and helpful results.

In closing I wish to extend a most cordial invitation to the parents to visit the school, and thus establish a closer bond of interest and acquaintance, which will work to our mutual advantage, and to that of the school.

Respectfully submitted,

ROLAND H. VERBECK, Principal.



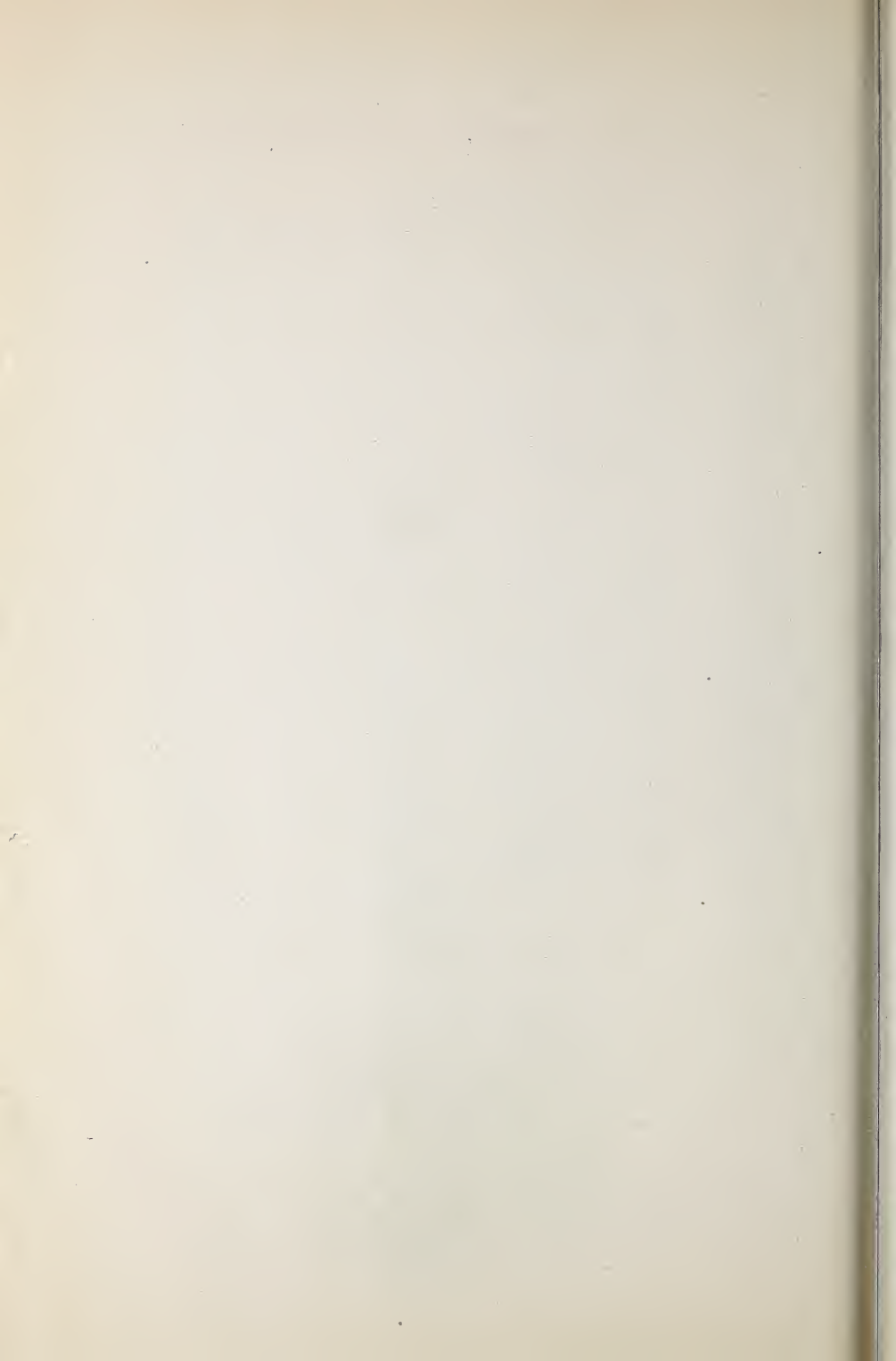
MARRIAGES 1910

Date	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom, and Bride	Residence	By Whom Married
Mar. 7	Effingham, N. H.	Laurence F. Stacey Isabella Sawyer	Parsonsfield, Me. Parsonsfield, Me.	Samuel Q. Dearborn, J. P.
May 31	Parsonsfield, Me.	Fred W. Morrell	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. J. F. Keith
July 9	Parsonsfield Me.	Annie M. Fenderson Herbert Hopkinson	Parsonsfield, Me. Porter, Me.	Rev. A. G. Davis
July 31	Parsonsfield, Me.	Lena Libby Leland W. Merrill	Porter, Me. Parsonsfield, Me.	
Nov. 24	Parsonsfield, Me.	Sadie M. Edwards Chester Tirrell Clara Eastman	Parsonsfield, Me. Springvale, Me. Newfield, Me.	Rev. J. F. Keith

DEATHS 1910

Date	Name	Years	Months	Days
Jan. 4	James Pearl	87	3	13
Feb. 17	Joseph Young	89	4	—
March 14	James M. Elliott	75	2	10
March 18	John Peary	90	11	17
March 30	Lula D. Reed	26	2	18
April 8	Marintha A. Drake	77	3	29
April 11	Enoch W. H. Lougee	69	6	29
April 11	Emma E. Bickford	—	—	—
April 12	Maurice Frost		6	26
April 15	N. W. French	83	7	11
April 21	William H. Turner	73	7	27
May 2	James Cartland	82	9	22
May 4	Daniel C. Smith	81	1	—
May 9	Mary A. Nason	59	—	—
June 4	James Lewis	71	—	—
June 15	Melvin Pearl	54	7	15
July 11	Rufus Burbank	81	9	1
Aug. 10	Estella L. Taylor	57	1	15
Aug. 20	Lizzie Staples	37	2	0
Aug. 26	Mary Heath Merrill	43	5	22
Sept. 26	Ann M. Piper	74	0	3
Oct. 9	George W. Wadleigh	89	9	15
Nov. 16	Eveline S. Neal	79	9	28
Nov. 29	John M. Stewart	25	—	—
Dec. 6	Harding Newbegin	76	4	29

A. J. MOULTON, Town Clerk.



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Town Officers, 1911-1912

Town Clerk

A. J. MOULTON.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

W. W. BURBANK, HARRY B. PRATT
L. E. BURBANK.

Treasurer

GEORGE E. DAVIS.

Superintending School Committee

E. C. BURNHAM, ANSEL S. DAVIS
P. W. BENTON.

Agent

J. MERRILL LORD.

Auditor

H. D. GRANVILLE.

Board of Health

A. S. DAVIS, J. A. KENNARD
F. G. DEVEREUX.

Collector

CHESTER A. WEST.

Truant Officers

C. E. VARNEY, FOREST P. LEAVITT
S. M. BOOTHBY.

Constables

C. L. WEEMAN, J. W. CHAPMAN

Warrant

STATE OF MAINE.

YORK, ss.

TO CHARLES L. WEEMAN, A CONSTABLE IN THE TOWN OF
PARSONSFIELD, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Parsonsfield qualified by law to vote in town affairs to assemble at the Town House in said town on the eleventh day of March, A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

2nd. To choose a Clerk for the year ensuing.

3rd. To hear and act on the reports of the town officers for the past year.

4th. To choose Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor for the year ensuing.

5th. To choose a Treasurer for the year ensuing.

6th. To choose a Superintending School Committee for three years.

7th. To choose a Town Agent for the year ensuing.

8th. To choose an Auditor of accounts for the year ensuing.

9th. To choose a Road Commissioner or Commissioners for the year ensuing.

10th. To choose a Director of the Piper Fund for three years.

11th. To choose all other necessary town officers.

12th. To raise a sum of money for the support of schools.

13th. To raise a sum of money for the purchase of school books and supplies.

14th. To raise a sum of money for buildings and repairing highways and bridges.

15th. To raise a sum of money for breaking down snow in winter of 1912-13.

16th. To raise a sum of money for the repair of schoolhouses.

17th. To raise a sum of money for Memorial services in Parsonsfield.

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18th. To raise a sum of money for the support of the poor and to defray all other town charges and expenses.

19th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Superintending School Committee to contract with Parsonsfield Seminary, situated in said town, to appropriate and expend all money available for Free High School purposes, for the instruction of scholars in town at said Seminary.

20th. To see if the town will vote "Yes" or "No" on the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907 as amended by Chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to State aid for highways for the year 1912.

21st. To see if the town will raise and appropriate in addition to the amount regularly raised and appropriated for the care of highways and bridges, the sum of \$400, being the maximum amount the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, as amended by Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1909.

22nd. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$325 for the purchase of a Road Machine, to be used in the East and Southwest sections of the town.

23rd. To see if the town will vote to grade a piece of road between "Roberts Corner," so-called, and Province Lake, and raise a sum of money for the same.

24th. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to be expended for lighting the streets of Kezar Falls.

25th. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to repair Town House.

26th. To raise a sum of money for the destruction of the browntail moth, as provided by law.

27th. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to pay for the use of hydrants at Kezar Falls.

28th. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Superintending School Committee to use their discretion in regard to which school shall be maintained during the school year of 1912.

29th. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$50.00 for the benefit of the Parsonsfield Public Libraries.

30th. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to be expended for cutting bushes on the highway.

TOWN OF PARSONSFIELD

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the Town House on Saturday, March 9th, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and on Monday, March 11th, at eight o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Parsonsfield this second day of March, A. D. 1912.

L. E. BURBANK,

H. B. PRATT,

W. W. BURBANK,

Selectmen of Parsonsfield.

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year.....	\$1,624.59
From State Treas. Dog Licenses	107.87
From State Treas. State Road	237.98
From State Treas. State Pensions	96.00
From State Treas. Free High School	500.00
From State Treas. Free High School	333.33
From State Treas. R. R. & Tel. Tax.....	25.06
From State Treas. School & Mill Fund.....	878.10
From State Treas. Common School Fund.....	797.99
From State Treas. State Road, 1911.....	412.02
From State Treas. State Pensions, 1911.....	102.00
From Town Clerk, dog licenses.....	128.00
From J. M. Lord, Treas., income Piper Fund.....	275.00
From H. B. Pratt, Town Farm.....	20.00
From H. B. Pratt, Town Farm, oxen.....	140.00
From H. B. Pratt, Town Farm, oxen.....	225.00
From W. W. Burbank, Town Farm, oxen.....	175.00
From W. W. Burbank, Town Farm, hay.....	18.00
From W. W. Burbank, Town Farm, two calves.....	19.50
From Reuben Fenderson, Town Farm, pork.....	28.08
From Newfield, tuition	53.25
From Cornish, tuition	67.00
From Biddeford, board of children.....	30.00
From Granite State Insurance Co., rebate.....	86
From L. E. Burbank, King Welch estate.....	59.22
From Treas., $\frac{3}{4}$ of Min. & Sch. fund, part of income.....	40.00
From W. W. Burbank, oil & clapboards.....	1.00
From Interest	37.53
From Treas. Cemetery fund, part of income.....	4.50
From P. W. Benton Col. 1910.....	34.25
From C. A. West, Col. 1911.....	10,377.52

\$16,848.65

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EXPENDITURES.

Geo. Perkins, State pension.....	\$36.00
Cyrus Brown, State pension.....	48.00
Emily Day, State pension.....	18.00
State Treasurer, dog licenses.....	128.00
State Treasurer, State tax.....	2,976.62
County tax	577.33
Town orders	10,785.71
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	\$14,569.66
	\$16,848.65
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Balance in treasury.....	\$2,278.99

I have examined the accounts of the several Town Officers and find them correct and respectfully submit the following report.

D. D. GRANVILLE, Auditor.

Selectmen and Assessor's Report

VALUATION 1911.

Real estate, resident	\$270,670.00
Real estate, non-resident	73,570.00
Personal estate, resident	76,570.00
Personal estate, non-resident	13,285.00
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	434,095.00

ASSESSMENTS.

State tax	\$2,976.62
County tax	577.33
Schools	1,000.00
Highways ..	1,500.00
Snow ..	800.00
School books and supplies.....	50.00
Support of poor and other expenses.....	2,000.00
State road	400.00
Lighting street, Kezar Falls.....	150.00
Use of hydrants	150.00
Memorial ..	20.00
Repair of town farm buildings.....	200.00
Brown tail moths	300.00
Parsonsfeld Library	25.00
Overlay ..	204.79
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	\$10,353.74
Supplementary tax	43.99
Brown Tail Moths	16.48
Error in abatement Crester West.....	.60
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Commitment	\$10,414.81
Number of polls assessed	301
Poll tax	\$2.75
Rate ..	.022

TOTAL OF ALL ORDERS DRAWN.

Highways, summer 1911	\$1,622.43
Highways, summer 1910	45.23
Highways, summer 1909	1.00
Highways, winter	477.19

TOWN OF PARSONSFIELD

Schools	2,993.35
Textbooks & supplies	158.59
School house repairs	266.99
State road, 1910	12.18
State road, 1911	813.04
Brown tail moths	372.48
Support of poor	812.33
Town farm	446.45
Town officers	553.00
Miscellaneous	178.41
Memorial	8.50
Repair Town Farm buildings.....	177.68
Parsonsfeld Public Library	25.00
Parsonsfeld Seminary, income Piper fund.....	275.00
Parsonsfeld Seminary State aid.....	833.33
Parsonsfeld Seminary fund	4.50
Abatements	54.51
Hydrants	150.00
Lights	150.00
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	\$10,431.19

RESOURCES.

Cash in treasury	\$2,278.99
Due from W. W. Burbank for hay.....	20.00
Due from Chester West, Coll. 1911.....	37.29
Due from P. W. Benton, Coll. 1910.....	5.50
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	\$2,341.78

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding orders, 1907 to 1910.....	\$34.41
Outstanding orders, 1911	71.83
Balance due common schools.....	178.87
Balance due school house repairs.....	57.38
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	\$342.49

Excess of resources over liabilities.....	\$1,999.29
Estimated bills outstanding Feb. 22nd, 1912.....	\$100.00
Estimated due from town of Effingham, one-half expense maintaining S. Effingham school.....	60.00

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SUMMER HIGHWAY, 1909.

John French\$1.00

SUMMER HIGHWAYS, 1910.

Rosa Moulton, labor\$2.25
Frank I. Wentworth, 120 ft. plank.....1.92
Edson L. Smith, labor1.50
Wilbur Clark, labor10.05
Fred Collomy, tree for stringer.....2.00
S. E. Piper1.50
George Tarbox2.10
W. F. Edwards1.25
Charles T. Wentworth2.76
Samuel M. Boothby, labor.....5.50
James Fenderson, labor2.25
James Fenderson, labor75
C. E. Brown, labor1.50
C. C. Moulton, labor2.25
C. C. Moulton, labor2.70
F. A. Gilpatrick, labor3.75
J. F. Fenderson, labor1.20

\$45.23

SUMMER HIGHWAYS, 1911.

Hiram Hussey, labor\$3.00
Berger, labor22.40
J. M. Morris, labor9.00
J. F. Boodv, labor7.50
H. B. Pratt, labor10.45
John A. Merrill, labor3.30
W. M. Meserve, labor10.00
L. E. Burbank, labor48.60
Elsworth Burbank, labor1.00
Will A. and Charles C. Stewart, labor.....7.00
Henry W. Colcord, labor60
C. L. Neal, labor19.75
Forrest Neal, labor2.25
Daniel Tripp, labor1.50
Chester Drake, labor18.00
L. E. Sanborn, labor20.75
George Marston, labor9.00
Ruben Archibald, labor12.00
Tristam Doe, labor5.50

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George A. Doe, labor	3.00
George A. Sanborn, labor	4.00
Edward A. Sanborn, labor	2.50
B. F. Linscott, labor	5.55
H. D. Marston, labor	14.00
John Whitney, labor	1.50
F. A. Gilpatrick, labor	6.00
Homer Glidden, labor	1.00
Harry L. Burbank, labor	1.50
H. J. Glidden, labor	21.25
Bradford Cook, labor	6.75
George D. Waterhouse, labor	5.25
Charles Boothby, labor	3.75
Daniel Wilson, labor	3.00
J. M. Weymouth, labor	7.00
Delbert Nutter, labor	4.05
Fred A. Nutter, labor	4.00
A. R. Leavitt, labor	1.20
L. C. Leavitt, labor	9.00
Lesley W. Anderson, labor	9.00
Randolph Churchill, labor	2.50
Arthur Chapman, labor	9.00
Henry Green, labor	1.75
Robert Benson, labor	40.00
A. H. Downs, labor	15.50
Herbert Merrill, labor .....	.90
A. H. Kenerson, labor	9.12
H. B. Pratt, labor	98.45
John Benson, labor	20.00
Hardey Merrill, labor	1.75
George F. Chapman, labor	3.50
A. H. Milliken, labor	11.40
S. O. Haste, labor	4.50
Wilbur Hasty, labor	3.75
L. C. Boothby, labor	26.25
N. W. Fenderson, labor	13.50
J. H. Merrill, labor	17.75
A. Q. Johnson, labor	6.00
Sumner Edwards, labor	4.50
B. T. Lord, labor	18.00
D. S. Chellis, labor	6.00
W. H. Fenderson, labor	19.50
C. C. Moulton, labor	3.00
J. G. Fenderson, labor	6.75

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Fred Morrill, labor	1.50
S. M. Boothby, labor	6.00
Ralph Boothby, labor	3.00
W. W. Burbank, labor	21.00
A. B. & E. L. Pease, labor	6.75
C. L. Moulton, labor	8.00
E. G. Pease, labor	6.00
A. S. Hamblin, labor	3.00
W. F. Edwards, labor	13.00
C. K. Foss, labor	3.00
Frank Alley, labor	1.50
George Chase, labor	1.50
Lorenzo Edwards, labor	3.00
Lewis Eastman, labor	1.50
Cyrus Brown, labor	1.50
Edwin Alley, labor	1.50
Daniel E. Garland, labor	1.50
Clarence Towle, labor	7.50
Morton D. Garland, labor	6.00
A. O. & H. D. Moulton, labor	10.00
Ray Burbank, labor	3.00
James Edwards, labor	8.20
Chester West, labor	15.75
A. T. West, labor	20.75
A. T. West, labor	10.25
Chester West, labor	5.25
George Dickerson, labor .....	.88
C. E. Dickerson, labor .....	.88
Lewis Danforth, labor	9.00
Fred Nutter, labor	3.00
Fred Morrell, labor	1.50
Frank L. Dav, labor	1.50
Will Weeks, housing road machine	1.00
C. E. Weeman, labor	5.00
C. E. Weeman, labor	8.50
Fred Morrill, labor	7.50
H. J. Glidden, labor	2.25
Chas. Dearborn, labor	1.50
Ralph C. Burbank, labor	6.00
H. H. Doe, labor .....	.75
Newton Sanborn, labor75
C. S. Dutch, labor	3.75
E. M. Doe, labor	13.50
John A. Morrill, labor	5.40

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J. Frank Boody, labor	5.40
Ellsworth Burbank, labor	4.50
P. E. Wilkinson, labor	1.50
Frank L. Day, labor	1.50
C. E. Brown, labor	2.25
C. F. Towle, labor	3.00
W. F. Edwards, labor	5.25
Simeon S. Hasty, labor	14.00
Wilbur S. Hasty, labor	11.75
John W. Hart, labor	4.95
J. B. Moulton, Est., labor	9.50
W. H. Fenderson, labor	2.00
A. J. Moulton, labor	4.50
J. Lord, labor	4.50
S. Edwards, labor	6.35
Asa Johnson, labor	6.00
Willis Clark, labor	3.00
Chas. & C. L. Moulton, labor	5.50
E. L. Pease, labor	2.00
H. W. Leavitt, labor	6.40
C. M. Sweat, labor	1.95
E. H. Hoyt, labor	12.65
E. Edwards, labor	1.75
C. E. Hodgdon, labor	1.75
F. S. Piper, labor .....	.75
A. N. Edgcomb, labor	45.00
D. Ridlon, labor .....	.50
A. Gilman, labor	5.00
F. Nutter, labor	4.50
H. W. Leavitt, labor	18.00
W. A. Stenart, labor	19.25
Herbert Stacy, labor	1.75
G. I. Huntress, labor	3.18
L. Kirkton, labor	4.62
Deorborn & Leavitt, plank and labor.....	55.07
Henry Moulton, labor	8.30
Fred Wilson, labor	1.05
J. H. Roberts, labor	41.04
Lorenzo Edwards, labor .....	.75
John A. Morrill, labor	3.75
W. D. D. Churchill, housing road machine.....	3.40
John F. Boody, cutting bushes	3.75
B. F. Linscott, labor	3.75
Ernest Hussey, labor	11.04

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J. C. Chellis, labor	12.50
A. Q. Mitchell, repairing road machine	8.57
Ruben Fenderson, labor	1.50
John S. French, labor	20.64
C. L. Neal, labor	4.25
Ruric West, labor	11.76
Forrest Leavitt, labor	3.50
Carl L. Taylor, labor	27.50
A. T. West, labor	20.00
Chester West, labor	15.25
A. D. Lord, labor	3.00
John Benson, labor	4.00
W. W. Burbank, labor	16.75
Simon Brown, labor	7.50
Raymond Burbank, labor	75
Chester West, labor	4.50
L. C. Leavitt, labor	9.00
L. W. Pendexter, cutting bushes	24.38
J. F. Bickford, labor	9.00
M. S. & Henry Crener, labor	6.00
Frank T. Benson, labor	2.70
W. S. Weeks, labor	1.00
C. I. Dennett, labor	3.00
Frank Alley, labor	1.50
Geo. W. Howard, labor	7.20
G. F. Gammon, labor	4.05
Geo. R. Young, labor	6.38
S. B. Stanley, labor	4.00
J. H. Merrill	1.25
C. W. Davis, labor	26.80
Lucretier Bennett, labor	4.26
C. S. H. Dutch, labor	12.75
John Whitney, labor	6.00
L. E. Burbank, labor	28.00
Allen Hamblin, labor	3.00
H. W. Colcord, labor	1.50
J. M. Weymouth, labor	1.50
Daniel Dilson, labor	2.25
A. J. Evans, labor	1.25
Harry Edwards, labor	3.00
Oscar Peary labor,	1.75
M. H. Ridlon, labor	1.43
L. C. Shean, labor	3.15
Keazer Falls Woolen Co., labor	7.83

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J. M. Lord, labor	7.00
Newman Peary, labor	1.75

\$1,668.66

Amount expended by W. W. Burbank.....	\$461.79
Amount expended by H. B. Pratt.....	636.49
Amount expended by L. E. Burbank.....	524.15

\$1,622.43

Summer of 1909	1.00
Summer of 1910	45.23

\$1,668.66

Appropriation	1,500.00
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Overexpended	<u>\$122.43</u>
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HIGHWAY—WINTER.

Albion Lane, breaking down snow	\$3.45
A. J. Moulton, breaking down snow	1.00
H. W. Leavitt, breaking down snow .....	.75
R. D. Benson, breaking down snow	1.95
C. T. Wentworth, breaking down snow	4.62
E. P. Chick, breaking down snow, 1910	14.50
W. M. Meserve, breaking down snow	5.00
Hiram Hussey, breaking down snow, 1910	10.35
A. H. Keniston, breaking down snow, 1910	11.70
D. S. Chellis, breaking down snow, 1910 .....	.82
A. H. Milliken, breaking down snow, 1910	3.30
N. W. Fenderson, breaking down snow, 1910	1.75
C. K. Foss, breaking down snow.....	.68
W. W. Burbank, breaking down snow.....	3.45
C. S. H. Dutch, breaking down snow	1.50
Daniel Wilson, breaking down snow	6.00
G. I. Huntress, breaking down snow	1.00
Geo. W. Lord, breaking down snow.....	7.05
W. J. Philbrick, breaking down snow	4.00
C. L. Neal, breaking down snow	5.50
Eugene Doe, breaking down snow	2.50
G. A. Sanborn, breaking down snow	8.00
H. J. Glidden, repairing roll	7.00
S. B. Stanley, snowing Kezar Fall bridge	10.00
C. W. Davis, breaking down snow	4.50
Charles Towle, breaking down snow	4.00

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C. W. Davis, breaking down snow	2.50
Waldo D. Hanson, breaking down snow	3.00
L. B. Merrill, housing two rolls	4.00
S. B. Merrill, labor	26.00
L. E. Burbank, labor	6.00
Walter Taylor, labor	1.50
Thomas Taylor, labor	1.50
W. W. Burbank, labor	3.90
W. N. Fenderson, labor	4.50
T. W. Burnham, labor	2.40
H. D. & A. O. Moulton, labor	6.68
H. N. & A. H. Milliken, labor	10.87
E. L. & A. B. Pease, labor	6.75
F. G. Pease, labor	5.00
Geo. Lord, labor	4.20
J. M. Weymouth, labor	9.60
C. F. Towle, labor	14.50
Daniel Wilson, labor	10.50
Daniel Wilkinson, labor	1.05
Raymond Burbank, labor	2.95
D. S. Chellis, labor	4.95
Leon Hussey, labor	12.60
John F. Collomy, labor	10.80
L. E. Sanborn, labor	9.50
O. B. Churchill, labor	1.80
C. T. Wentworth, labor	9.45
H. J. Glidden, labor	8.75
J. F. Collomy, labor	3.00
Randolph Churchill, labor	1.00
George Dickerson, labor	2.62
Chester West, labor	18.50
G. E. Davis, labor	4.20
G. E. Davis, labor	9.80
E. B. Wadleigh, labor	2.84
H. D. Watson, labor	9.45
Kezar Falls Woolen Co., labor	1.20
S. B. Stanley, labor	15.00
W. J. Philbrick, labor	1.00
J. Merrill Lord, labor	5.39
J. Merrill Lord, labor	6.00
H. B. Pratt, labor	5.00
Charles Weeman, labor	52.00

\$477.20

TOWN OF PARSONSFIELD

Appropriated	800.00
Balance unexpended	\$322.80

STATE ROAD—1910.

H. B. Pratt, labor	\$5.00
Parsonsfeld Seminary, pipe and railing.....	1.68
R. D. Benson	1.75
H. B. Pratt	3.75

\$12.18

STATE ROAD—1911.

Lester Burbank, labor	\$28.00
Robert Benson, labor	35.00
Charles Hodgdon, labor	14.88
H. B. Pratt, labor	50.00
John Benson, labor	70.00
Geo. Andrews, labor	5.25
Horatio Tripp, labor	17.50
Walter Anderson, labor	9.65
Elmer Edwards, labor	35.00
E. H. Hoyt, labor	20.13
Leon Hussey, labor	70.00
Eugene Dudley, labor	26.25
Arthur Kenerson, labor	28.88
Frank Andrews, labor	18.38
L. L. Kirkton, labor	20.13
Hardy Merrill, labor	23.63
George Young, stone	6.00
Stewart, stone	5.00
E. B. Wadleigh, blacksmith	3.81
Hardy Merrill, gravel and stone.....	10.00
J. M. Dow, gravel and stone	5.00
Forrest E. Leavitt, railings	3.78
Ernest Edwards, labor	12.25
Chas. Andrews, labor	28.00
W. M. Meserve, labor	32.00
Will McDonald, labor	32.38
S. G. Pease, labor	8.50
H. W. Leavitt, labor	88.00
Harry Trueworthy, labor	12.50
Arthur Chapman, labor	70.00
Kezar Falls Woolen Co., cement.....	3.75
Elmer Edwards	3.50

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R. D. Benson	5.25
John Benson	9.64
George Sweat	1.00
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	\$813.04
Appropriation	800.00
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Overdraft	13.04

SCHOOLS.

Lena Strout, teaching	\$85.00
Lena Strout, janitor	2.50
Lena Strout, sawing wood .....	.35
Lena Strout, janitor	2.75
Howard Doe, conveyance	40.00
Edwin A. Leavitt, conveyance	40.00
L. R. Churchill, wood	9.00
Harriet Curtis, janitor	2.50
Metta Stone, janitor	2.50
Metta Stone, teaching	80.00
Frederick Trueworthy, conveyance	40.00
George F. Wentworth, janitor	2.50
George F. Wentworth, teaching	80.00
Sarah L. Russell, teaching	7.00
Ruby Boynton, janitor	2.50
Ruby Boynton, teaching	60.00
Sarah Russell, janitor	2.50
Sarah Russell, teaching	63.00
H. B. Pratt, conveyance	9.00
L. E. Sanborn, wood for Maplewood school.....	10.00
W. M. Meserve, wood for Middle Road school.....	10.00
E. May Chadborne, janitor	2.50
E. May Chadborne, teaching	48.00
E. May Chadborne, teaching	32.00
Harriet Curtis, teaching	80.00
Marion Durgin, janitor	2.50
Marion Durgin, teaching	48.00
Marion Durgin, teaching	32.00
L. R. Hussey, conveyance	40.00
S. Maude Lougee, teaching	64.00
S. Maude Lougee, janitor	2.00
Marion Durgin, janitor	2.75
Will Sanborn, conveyance	15.00
Marion Durgin, teaching	45.00

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Leland Boothby, kindling wood	1.50
James Bickford, wood, S. Parsonsfield	14.50
Estelle B. Weymouth, janitor	3.00
Estelle B. Weymouth, teaching	84.00
Lilla R. Gentleman, teaching	62.00
Hazel G. Hasty, janitor	3.00
Lilla R. Gentleman, janitor	3.00
Juliett Edwards, conveyance	36.00
David Lougee, conveyance	66.00
Howard Doe, conveyance	48.00
Harry B. Pratt, conveyance	6.00
Hazel G. Hasty, teaching	84.00
Ruby Boynton, janitor	3.00
Ruby Boynton, teaching	84.00
Edwin A. Leavitt, conveyance	48.00
Lillian Burbank, janitor	3.00
Lillian Burbank, teaching	84.00
Marion Durgin, janitor	3.00
Marion Durgin, teaching	63.00
Hattie E. Mathews, janitor	3.00
V. M. Hobbs, conveyance	18.00
D. H. Tripp, conveyance	20.00
A. J. Evans, conveyance	18.00
J. M. Lord, conveyance	60.00
V. M. Hobbs, conveyance	10.00
Hattie Mathews, teaching	120.00
Lilla Gentleman, teaching	51.00
Hattie Mathews, teaching	36.00
Lilla Gentleman, teaching	40.00
Fred Trueworthy, conveyance	48.00
Lillian Burbank, janitor	2.75
Estelle B. Weymouth, teaching	77.00
Ethel Weymouth, teaching	77.00
Lillian Burbank, teaching	77.00
Lilla R. Gentleman, teaching.....	42.50
Hattie Mathews, teaching	63.00
Hazel G. Hasty, teaching	77.00
Ellen Libby, teaching	88.00
Marion Durgin, teaching	81.00
Lilla R. Gentleman, janitor	2.75
Estelle B. Weymouth, janitor	2.75
Ethel Weymouth, janitor	2.75
Hazel G. Hasty, janitor	2.75
Ellen Libby, janitor	2.75

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Hattie Mathews, janitor	2.75
Marion Durgin, janitor	2.75
A. J. Evans, conveyance	16.50
David Lougee, conveyance	60.50
Edwin A. Leavitt, conveyance	36.00
William Sanborn, conveyance	35.00
Frederick Trueworthy, conveyance	44.00
Howard Doe, conveyance	44.00
Wallace Canney, conveyance	22.00
Kezar Falls Woolen Co., wood	2.50
William Sanborn, conveyance	20.00
William Sanborn, conveyance	21.00
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	\$2,993.35
Appropriation	1,000.00
Balance, 1910	278.88
Common school fund	797.99
Mill tax	878.10
Ministerial fund	40.00
Cornish tuition	67.00
Newfield tuition	22.75
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	\$3,084.72
Balance due schools	91.37
Lena Strout, teaching	85.00
Lena Strout, janitor	2.50
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	\$87.50
Two orders drawn through errors, making the	
true school balance	\$178.87

SCHOOLHOUSE REPAIRS.

E. C. Burbank	\$3.00
A. H. Milliken	2.55
Sears Roebuck Co., blackboards	15.27
W. F. Edwards, repairs E. Parsonsfield schoolhouse	58.38
A. J. Evans, repairs E. Parsonsfield schoolhouse	3.60
A. J. Evans, repairs E. Parsonsfield schoolhouse	29.80
O. E. Watson, hauling lumber	5.75
L. E. Kendall, funnel and damper	75
A. S. Davis, paint and oil	20.27
R. E. Sawyer	10.65
Edwin S. Hill	3.00

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A. J. Wilcox	1.25
Sokokis Lumber Co.	10.75
E. R. Bachelder, Kezar Falls schoolhouse.....	15.01
Frank L. Day, E. Parsonsfield.....	35.40
John Rice, Kezar Falls schoolhouse.....	39.44
H. S. Doe, repairs, Kezar Falls schoolhouse.....	4.38
W. M. Meserve, repairs, Middle Road schoolhouse....	1.67
Lillian G. Burbank, E. Parsonsfield	3.25
O. L. Stanley, Kezar Falls	3.00
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	\$266.99
Balance unexpended, 1911	324.37
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Balance	\$57.38

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Webb Smith, stationery and letter heads.....	\$5.00
Library bureau, pupils' records cards.....	1.13
Hazel Hasty, supplies	50
Marion G. Durgin, supplies	3.46
Silver Burdett Co., text books	9.36
Atkinson Montzer, text books	8.34
Newell White, text books	50
A. Flanagan, supplies	1.70
Benj. H. Sanborn, text books	43.50
E. E. Babb Co., supplies	5.60
E. R. Bachelder, chalk	65
S. Maud Lougee, supplies	52
Atkinson Mentzer, text books	10.26
Silver Burdett Co., text books	5.70
E. E. Babb, text books	4.60
W. M. Welch, text books	2.60
American Book Co., text books	9.60
Ginn Co., text books	16.42
Newell White, text books	50
Webb Smith Printing Co., printing	1.25
Metter Stone, express	45
Frank Chace, express	1.05
Marion Durgin, express	5.55
American Book Co., text books	7.20
Silver Burdett Co., text books	8.34
Ginn Co., text books	6.96
Houghton Mifflin Co., text books	84

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S. Maud Lougee, text books	1.51
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	\$158.59
Appropriation	50.00
Balance from 1911	102.93
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	\$152.93
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Overdraft	5.66

CONTINGENT FUND. TOWN OFFICERS.

A. J. Moulton, clerk, 1910 and 1911	\$10.00
W. W. Burbank, selectman, 1910 and 1911	10.00
H. B. Pratt, selectman, 1910 and 1911	10.00
L. E. Burbank, selectman, 1910 and 1911	6.00
E. C. Burnham, school board	12.00
William McCue, Supt. 1st qtr., 1911	25.00
W. W. Burbank, selectman to Sept., 1911	40.00
E. H. Hoyt, ballot clerk	1.50
Forrest Leavitt, ballot clerk	1.50
F. C. Milliken, ballot clerk	1.50
C. W. Davis, school board, 1909	13.00
L. E. Burbank, selectman to Feb. 17th, 1912	75.00
L. E. Burbank, overseer	8.00
W. W. Burbank, selectman to Feb. 17th, 1912	56.50
H. B. Pratt, selectman to Feb. 17th, 1912	84.00
Chester West, collector, 1911	90.00
William C. McCue, Supt. 2nd qtr., 1911	25.00
William C. McCue, Supt. 3rd qtr., 1910	25.00
William C. McCue, Supt. 4th qtr., 1910	25.00
G. E. Davis, treasurer, 1911 and 1912	40.00
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	\$553.00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Loring, Short & Harmon, order book	\$1.50
C. L. Neal, damage to wagon	12.00
A. J. Moulton, postage and stationery	2.30
A. J. Moulton, recording vital statistics	8.10
M. H. Ridlon, assessors book	16.55
Arthur Hanson, watering tub	3.00

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Averill Press, Town Reports	35.50
James M. Dow, ½ cord wood, Town House	3.00
Swasey, envelopes	2.59
D. O. Blaze, watering tub	3.00
Loring, Short and Harmon, Coll. book	1.75
C. L. Weeman, looking after dogs	10.00
C. L. Weeman, watering tub, 1911	3.00
Swasey print, 55 check lists	5.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, Town order book	1.50
W. M. Meserve, labor on school ground, M. Road....	2.00
J. S. Weeks, use watering tub two years.....	6.00
S. E. Piper, running line Town Farm	5.00
G. A. Sanborn	3.00
F. A. Nutter, use watering tub	3.00
Arthur Hanson, use watering tub	3.00
Swasey Print, 500 browntail moth notices	2.00
William C. McCue, cash paid for postage and tele- phone	9.10
J. H. Foss, watering tub	3.00
O. L. Banks, watering tub	1.50
Chester West, watering tub, two years	3.00
E. Viola Kezar, watering tub	1.50
W. W. Burbank, looking after Daniel Tripp cattle....	2.50
W. W. Burbank, telephoning and express.....	2.00
L. E. Burbank, telephoning	2.00
M. G. Ridlon, records births and deaths.....	4.52
J. M. Lord, Libby case	9.00
C. L. Weeman, care of Daniel Tripp cattle	6.00
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\$178.41	

SUPPORT OF POOR EXPENSES.

C. E. Libby, burial expense of John Libby..	\$30.00
Chester Bisbee, digging grave.....	1.00
Geo. G. Edwards, digging grave.....	3.50
W. H. Lochlin and wife, services 1910....	125.00
Clara Hussey, board Charles Moore.....	44.00
R. H. Allen, services to June 20, 1911....	81.00
R. H. Allen and wife, services to Oct. 10, 1911	144.00
Clara Hussey, board Charles Moore.....	30.00
Harry Hill, use of automobile, Charles Moore	4.00

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James H. Stone, hunting Charles Moore..	4.00	
A. S. Davis, medical attendance	20.00	
R. H. Allen and wife, master and mistress Town Farm	90.00	
S. G. Pease, Charles Moore	9.54	
John Lassard, board children (Melandy)..	15.00	
F. W. Towne, supplies for paupers.....	3.50	
C. E. Libby, burial expense Comfort Bur- ley	30.00	
S. G. Pease, supplies for J. C. Moore....	8.54	
John Lassard, board Melandy children...	15.00	
Rufus Allen, services Dec. 19 to Feb. 10..	68.00	
Reuben Fenderson, supplies Town Farm..	24.22	
A. C. Davis, medical attendance.....	25.00	
W. M. Meserve, supplies, Town Farm...	25.03	
W. M. Meserve, supplies, Will Sanborn..	10.00	
Horatio Tripp, keeping tramp	1.50	
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	\$812.33	812.33

TOWN FARM EXPENSE.

Ralph Burbank, building cart	5.00	
Pendexter Bros., grain	7.15	
Henry Crener, grain	11.20	
A. A. Dyer, medical attendance ox, Town Farm.	2.50	
W. Adams, farming tools	2.50	
S. Hasty, butchering	1.20	
Frank W. Wentworth, yoke oxen	210.00	
W. M. Meserve, goods furnished .....	.80	
F. W. Towne	8.60	
Ernest L. Pease, pasturing oxen.....	8.00	
Raymond Burbank, soldering lead pipe..	.50	
H. B. Pratt, oxen	183.00	
Will Staples, repairing sleds	5.00	
C. E. Libby	1.00	
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	446.45	446.45
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		1,258.78

TOWN FARM RECEIPTS.

H. B. Pratt, check	7.00
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H. B. Pratt, check	13.00	
H. B. Pratt, oxen	140.00	
W. W. Burbank, oxen	175.00	
W. W. Burbank, oxen	225.00	
W. W. Burbank, pork	28.08	
W. W. Burbank, hay	18.00	
W. W. Burbank, calves	19.50	
Reed. from Biddeford, board Melandy children	30.00	
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	\$655.58	655.58
Net cost of poor		603.20
Town officers		553.00
Miscellaneous		178.41
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		\$1,334.61
Appropriation		2,000.00
Granite State Ins. Co., rebate86
L. E. Burbank, King Welch Est.		59.22
W. W. Burbank, oil and clapboards		1.00
Interest		37.53
Dog licenses		107.87
R. R & Tel. Tax		25.06
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		\$2,231.54
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Balance		\$897.93

BROWNTAIL MOTHS.

Will Kezar	\$3.00
George Wentworth	16.00
H. L. Burbank	12.50
E. B. Burbank	9.00
Harold Boothby	2.00
Rodger Burbank	1.00
Ray Burbank	20.00
L. E. Burbank	18.00
J. F. Boody	5.40
A. H. Milliken	3.20
Lester Burbank	16.00
J. C. Chellis	19.25
John Loxton	15.50
Frank Bickford	21.25

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W. W. Burbank	18.00
Frank Benson	5.00
Delbert Nutter	10.00
Russell & Ralph Leavitt	3.60
Tripp Linscott, A. J. Clark farm	5.00
Charles Peary	12.00
Newman Peary	10.00
Oscar Peary	8.00
R. D. Benson	20.00
G. I. Huntress	18.25
Wilbur Edwards	4.25
S. G. Pease	90
W. A. McDonald	7.15
H. B. Pratt	22.50
E. H. Hoyt	20.00
J. M. Lord	7.71
Preston Chapman	12.00
Henry Green	15.00
Tripp Linscott, Giles Farm	5.50
C. K. Foss, Banks Farm	1.57
H. Hussey	1.35
Daniel Wilson, Bailey Farm50
O. B. Churchill	1.10
E. R. Bachelder, pruner	1.00
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	\$372.48
Appropriation	300.00
Amount collected	16.48
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	\$316.48
Over expended	\$56.00

MEMORIAL.

Tripp Linscott, decorating graves	\$1.50
T. W. Burnham, decorating graves	1.50
Howard Doe, decorating graves	1.50
Charles Davis, decorating graves	2.50
A. J. Moulton, decorating graves	1.50
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	\$8.50
Appropriation	\$20.00
Unexpended	11.50

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REPAIRS TOWN FARM BUILDINGS.

L. E. Sanborn, wall paper.....	\$8.65
Harry L. Burbank, labor.....	20.00
W. A. Adams	20.91
John M. Chellis	30.00
C. H. Smart & Son, windows.....	15.20
F. W. Towne	12.99
J. H. Roberts, lumber.....	9.90
Henry E. Eastman, lime and hair.....	1.30
J. C. Chellis	9.27
Frank Chase, express .....	.75
S. G. Pease	11.30
F. T. Benson, labor	5.25
R. Burbank, labor	3.00
Harry Burbank, labor	15.00
W. M. Meserve, labor.....	8.38
W. Adams & Son.....	5.78

\$177.68

Appropriation ..	\$200.00
Balance ..	\$22.32

PARSONSFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY.

W. M. Meserve	\$25.00
Appropriated ..	\$25.00

PARSONSFIELD SEMINARY.

Income Piper Fund	\$275.00
State aid	833.33

PARSONSFIELD CEMETERY FUND.

John Morrill	\$2.25
J. F. Boody	2.25

\$4.50

Part income of fund.....	\$4.50
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RENT WATER HYDRANTS, KEZAR FALLS.

Kezar Falls Water Co.	\$150.00
Appropriation ..	\$150.00

STREET LIGHTS, KEZAR FALLS VILLAGE.

Cornish & Kezar Falls Light and Power Co.....	\$150.00
Appropriation ..	\$150.00

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ORDERS OF ABATEMENT.

Daniel Wilson, error in assessment.....	\$2.20
Daniel Wilson, loss of horse.....	1.36
Silas Boothby, loss of oxen.....	2.20
Chester West, Coll. 1911.....	48.75
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	\$54.51

UNPAID TAXES, 1910.

P. W. Benton, Collector.

Merl Keyes	\$2.75
Leon C. Wheeler	2.75
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	\$5.50

UNPAID TAXES, 1911.

Chester West, Collector.

M. S. Crenner	\$4.68
Harry Crenner	3.85
Eugene C. Doe	2.75
C. E. Dickerson	5.50
Harry Edwards	5.47
J. M. Glidden	2.75
L. B. Merrill	2.00
E. G. Perry	4.62
George Peary	2.75
Charles Peary	2.92
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	\$37.29

TAXES ABATED.

E. & Louise Dickerson, reduction in valuation.....	\$4.20
C. E. Dickerson, reduction in valuation.....	6.05
Merrill Bickford, soldier.....	2.75
Frank Boody	2.75
John Duffie, bum, left town in July.....	2.75
A. H. Downs, cripple	2.75
H. D. Hobbs, 72 years old.....	2.75
Forrest Leavitt, paid in Effingham.....	2.75
Lewis Tanguay, paid in Biddeford.....	2.75
Howard Smith, paid in Cornish.....	2.75
W. S. Sanborn, cripple	3.85
James Stewart, paid in Worcester, Mass.	2.75

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Alice Weeks	4.40
Ernest Wadleigh, diseased	2.75
Eugene Wescott, paid in Portland.....	2.75
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	\$48.15
Error in abatement	60
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	\$48.75

INVENTORY OF TOWN FARM, Feb. 20, 1912.

One pair oxen 6 ft. 10 in.....	\$205.00
Five cows	200.00
Thirty hens	22.50
One bushel potatoes.....	1.00
3½ pounds butter	1.05
6 bushels corn	3.60
8 bushels oats.....	5.60
4½ bushels beans	10.00
12 cords wood	40.00
8 tons hay	120.00
213. cakes ice	
6 M. shingles	15.00
3 bushels apples	1.50
25 flour barrels	7.50
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	\$632.75
Inventory of Town Farm, Feb. 20, 1911.....	\$980.65
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	\$347.90

W. W. BURBANK,

H. B. PRATT,

L. E. BURBANK,

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Parsonsfield.

School Report

MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE.

- E. C. Burnham, chairman, term expires 1912.
A. S. Davis, terms expires 1913.
P. W. Benton, term expires 1914.
W. C. McCue, secretary (ex officio).
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SCHOOL CALENDAR.

- Spring term of ten weeks opens April 8.
Fall term of twelve weeks open September 3.
Winter term twelve weeks opens December 9.
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SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the School Committee of Parsonsfield:

Mr. Chairman:—In submitting my annual report I wish to call attention to several innovations, introduced during the past few years, which deserve the support and commendation of all parents and citizens who have at heart the educational welfare of the boys and girls of Parsonsfield. On account of the increasing demand from the cities and larger towns for normal school teachers it has been found practically impossible to secure trained teachers for our rural schools. As a result these schools have, for the most part, been taught by young girls who, though graduates of our seminaries, academies and high schools, were entirely unprepared to take up the work of teaching. On account of this, much time, energy and money have been wasted yearly, to say nothing of the oft-times pernicious instruction or lack of instruction received by the pupils.

To remedy this evil a Teachers' Training class was formed at the Seminary for those who were planning to teach. From a small but praiseworthy beginning by an enthusiastic teacher three years ago the course has made wonderful advance in scope and efficiency and today these students are receiving an excellent and practical training for rural school work. Several of the young ladies who were grad-

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uated from the Seminary last June have been exemplifying the beneficial results of this training in their work as rural school teachers in the towns of Parsonsfield, Porter, Lyman and Conway. I find a decided improvement in the way these girls conduct their work from the methods ordinarily employed by the average untrained high school graduate. I have also heard satisfactory reports from the work of those who have not come under my personal supervision. This means a direct return to the people of Parsonsfield for the money expended in helping to maintain the work of the Seminary.

For the advantage of the town pupils and to secure practical applications of the principles taught in the Training Class a Model school has been established at North Road. This school is taught by a normal school graduate. She receives daily visits from members of the training class from the Seminary, who either observe her methods of teaching or, under her supervision, conduct recitations themselves. At the same time classes from this school are sent to the Seminary to be taught by the teacher of the Seminary training class, a normal graduate, or by members of the class under the supervision of the teacher and in the presence of other members. It is needless to say that this training will, at no distant day, result in a marked improvement in the work of the rural schools of Parsonsfield. During the Fall term the pupils of the Elliott school, which was too small for profitable continuance, were conveyed to North Road. The advent of a portable steam mill in the vicinity of the Elliott school just before the opening of the Winter term brought several new scholars making it impracticable to continue the conveyance and the school was re-opened.

The custom of discontinuing small schools and conveying the pupils to a larger one has had a most admirable beginning at East Parsonsfield. The Fenderson school and the Brier school of Cornish were discontinued at the opening of the Fall term and the pupils conveyed to East Parsonsfield. Here the upper room, formerly unused, has been thoroughly repaired and is now occupied by the grammar grades, the lower being occupied by the primary and interme-

diate. The rapid change for the better in the daily work of the pupils has amply justified this step. Favorable comment has been made by the citizens and your Superintendent has been asked by parents of children in the Day school at Cornish, to use his influence in securing the admission of their children to this school. It is to be regretted, however, that as yet we have failed to secure the most desirable conveyance. The vehicles used are not canopy topped and lacking side curtains, the children are not properly protected for stormy weather. On account of the small pay for conveyance "the office hunts the man" and we are unable to secure good vehicles. Reverse the conditions by increasing the pay letting "the man hunt the office" and there will be no trouble in this line.

The Kezar Falls school is already too large for one teacher and the enrollment will probably be larger next year. I would urge that the upper room be repaired at once and another teacher employed for the upper grade work.

In looking back upon the year's work I feel that as a whole it has been satisfactory and that our schools show a steady growth in efficiency.

INSTRUCTIONS TO TEACHERS.

In rural and graded schools pupils must not choose their own studies.

Require written excuses from parent for all absences and dismissals.

Notify truant officers of truancy at once.

Corporal punishment may be used in extreme cases of discipline.

Do not strike a child on the head.

Above the third grade send report cards to parents twice each term.

Write order of exercises on board and follow closely each day.

Be present at school room at least fifteen minutes before the opening of each session.

Read to pupils at least one good book each term.

Attendance is required at teachers' meetings.

At close of each term send promptly to the super-

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intendent your register correctly and neatly filled out with ink.

All school entertainments must be under control of teachers who will be held responsible for proper conduct.

The success of a school depends more upon the teacher's own efforts and the freedom to arrange the details of her work as she deems best than on the rigid adherence to any prescribed course of study. The following outline is given merely as a guide to those teachers who may wish to know the customary amount of work done in the different grades.

READING.

Grade I. For the first six weeks teach the reading of thirty or more familiar words from board using script. After which use readers provided for first grade continuing board drill throughout the year. Give daily phonetic drill using Ward's Manual.

Grade II. Use second grade readers. Continue phonetic drill. Aim for natural and intelligent reading and teach short memory gems.

Grade III. Use third grade readers. Give continued close attention to phonetic drill, memory gems and intelligent reading, tested by daily oral reproduction.

Grade IV. Use fourth grade readers. Pay close attention to position, clear articulation and correct expression.

Through the remaining grades in connection with the required readers encourage the use of suitable library books for home reading. Inspire your pupils with a love for and appreciation of the best in literature, having them memorize selections of prose and poetry from standard authors. Instruct your pupils how to use the dictionary intelligently.

ARITHMETIC.

Grade I. Teach combination of numbers from 1 to 10 second half year. No text book.

Grade II. Combinations of numbers to 25, multiplication tables 2, 3, 4 and 5. No text book.

Grade III. Combinations to 144, tables 6-12, in-

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clusive. Spring term use Wentworth's Elementary Arithmetic to Chapter III.

Grade IV. Complete Wentworth's Elementary Arithmetic.

Grade V. Begin Wentworth-Smith's Complete, advancing to fractions.

ARITHMETIC.

Grade VI. Use Wentworth-Smith's Complete to Longitude and Time.

Grade VII. Use Wentworth-Smith's Complete to Direct Taxes.

Grade VIII. Use Wentworth-Smith's Complete to Powers and Roots.

Grade IX. Complete and review.

GRAMMAR.

Grade IV. Emerson & Bender, Book I to Part II.

Grade V. Emerson & Bender, Book I completed.

Grade VI. Emerson & Bender, Book II to page 60

Grade VII. Emerson & Bender, Book II to Part II

Grade VIII. Emerson & Bender, Book II to page 250.

Grade IX. Complete and review.

GEOGRAPHY.

Grade IV. Frye's First Steps in Geography to page 75.

Grade V. Complete text and review.

Grade VI. Frye's Grammar School Geography to page 61. Require pupils to recite topics from board without questions.

Grade VII. Continue to page 145, using topical method.

Grade VIII. Complete text and review.

HISTORY.

Grade VII. Elementary. Frequent reading with oral and written reproduction.

Grade VIII. Advanced. Use topical method.

Grade IX. Complete Advanced History at end of Fall term.

PHYSIOLOGY.

Grade IX. Elementary. Frequent reading with

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oral reproductions during Fall term. Advanced during the Winter and Spring terms, using topical method.

SPELLING.

Throughout the nine grades diligent attention should be given to both oral and written spelling. Use Sanborn's Complete Speller following closely the suggestions given to teachers for the proper instruction in each grade.

WRITING.

Use Ginn's Medial Writing Books beginning Book I. in Grade III. Give short exercises to Grades I. and II. on practice paper. Teach the forearm muscular movement giving heed to the proper position of the body and neatness of all exercises.

The following is a list of text books, not indicated above, for use in the common schools:

Brook's Readers	Grades I. to IX.
Baker Carpenter's Readers	Grades I. to IX.
Cyr's Readers	Grades I. to IX.
Baldwin's Readers	Grades IV. to IX.
Ward's Readers	Grades I. to IV.
Carpenter's Geographical Readers	Grades VII. to IX.
North America, South America, Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia.	
Chamberlain's Readers	Grades V. to VII.
How We Are Fed, How We Are Clothed, How We Are Sheltered and How We Live.	
From the Old World to the New	Grades IV. to V.
Supplementary Geography	Grades IV. to V.
Birds and Their Nestlings	Grades IV. to VI.
Bible Readings (For opening exercises.)	

FINANCIAL REPORT—COMMON SCHOOLS.

RECEIPTS.

Balance 1910	\$278.88
Appropriation 1911	1,000.00
Common School fund.....	797.99
Mill tax	878.10
Ministerial fund	40.00

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Cornish tuition	67.00
Newfield tuition	22.75
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	\$3,084.72

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries ..	\$1,929.50
Conveyance	861.00
Janitor ..	67.50
Fuel ..	47.85
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	\$2,905.85
Balance	\$178.87

TEXT-BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

RECEIPTS.

Balance, 1910	\$102.93
Appropriation, 1911	50.00
Edward E. Babb & Co., old books.....	5.00
Ginn & Co.	70
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	\$158.63

EXPENDITURES.

Amount expended	\$164.29
Overdrawn	\$5.66

REPAIRS.

RECEIPTS.

Balance ..	\$302.37
Refunded from P. W. Benton, shingles.....	22.00
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	\$324.37

EXPENDITURES.

Amount expended	\$266.99
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Balance	\$57.38

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT.

SUPT. W. C. McCUE, Cornish, Maine:

I hereby submit my second annual report as Principal of Parsonsfield Seminary.

I am glad to record here the fact that, in every way, the school seems to be prospering. There are several reasons for this which should be mentioned. First, I think, comes the practical training and knowledge which our school courses are providing for the pupils, and which it will be our constant effort to add to and develop. Second, the change in dormitory management has solved to a marked degree the problem of expense, as well as bringing with it the heightened interest and enthusiasm of the student body due to the very evident results of their co-operative efforts. And I would further state that the benefits thus derived, while especially satisfactory from a financial standpoint, are none the less of value from an educational standpoint, for in the performance of each daily task, faithfully and well, the student is fixing habits of industry and efficiency which will ever react to his benefit. This applies just as much to the performance at home of the family "chores," as to any special school duties.

And third in the list of reasons, I would place the increase of community interest in the school. Any public institution must serve the public and only by so serving, can it maintain the interest and confidence of the public. In this respect our school has made as yet but a tiny beginning toward the larger and more helpful position which it hopes to fill in the community.

There are many necessary and important improvements planned for the school in the near future. These must be carried through successfully, but only can be accomplished if we have the earnest and sincere support of the community.

A few of the more important facts of the year are here stated:

Graduated a class of fourteen last June, only one of whom plans to go to college. Six of the girls have been teaching during the fall in rural schools with marked success, thus emphasizing the value of our Teachers' Training course.

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A class of twenty pupils entered this fall, being the largest in several years. At this rate the school should expect a healthy and normal growth, insisting always that students shall be able to do the work, if they expect to continue in the school.

I take especial pleasure in stating that definite steps have been taken to secure a gymnasium for the school. Such a building will serve us in many ways and will add to an equipment which few, if any, towns of our state have provided for the education of their sons and daughters.

Respectfully submitted,

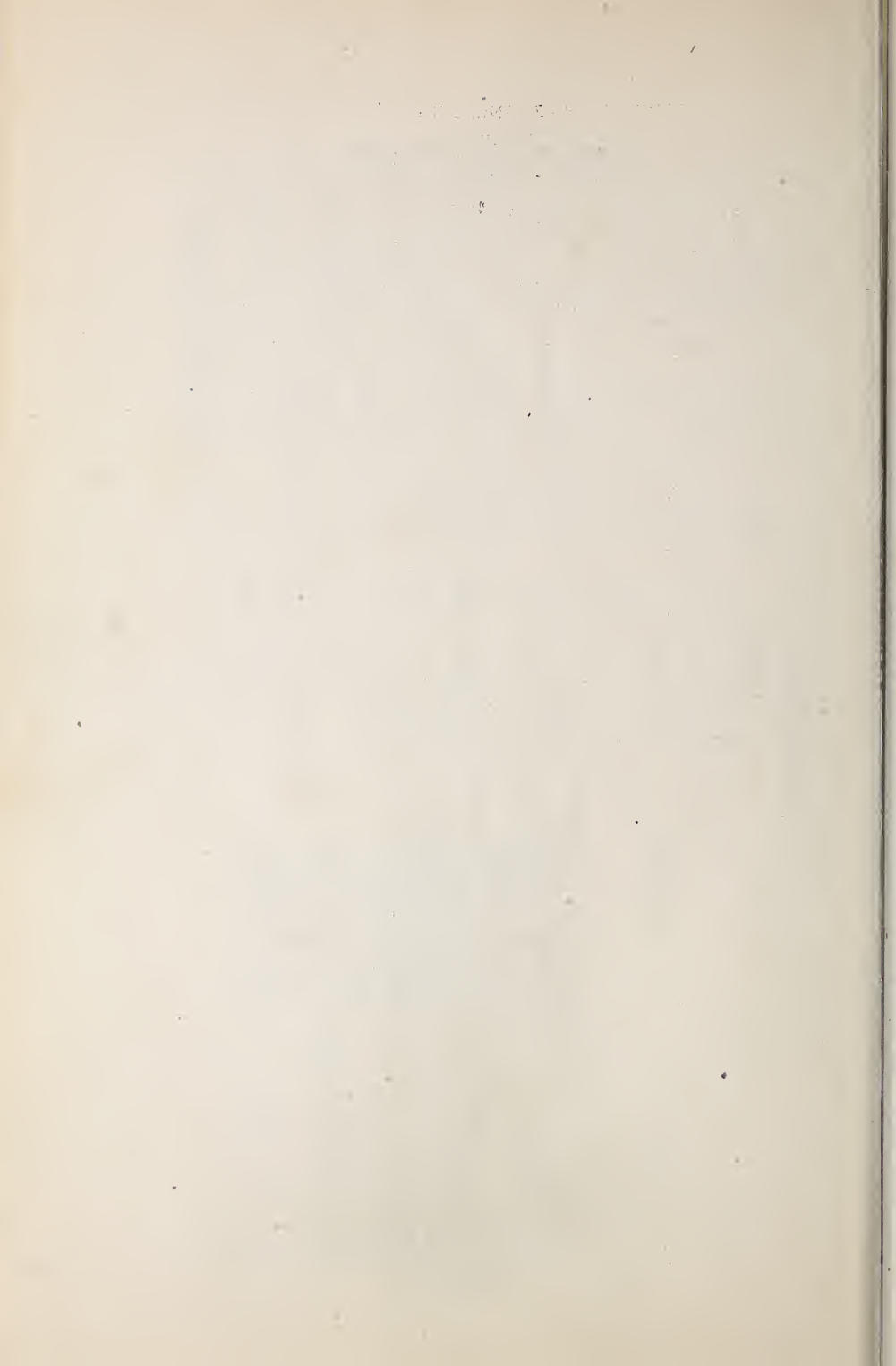
ROLAND H. VERBECK.

STATISTICS.

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SCHOOL	TEACHER	WINTER				SPRING				FALL			
		Weekly Wages	No. Tardy.....	Average.....	Attendance.....	Weeks	Weekly Wages	No. Tardy.....	Average.....	Attendance.....	Weeks	Weekly Wages	No. Tardy.....
Kezar Falls	V. May Haredeane	12 27 22 42	\$8.00	10 12 10 25	8.00	10 30 28 10	\$8.00	10 12 11 9	8.00	12 31 26	\$8.50	12 18 16 13	7.00
Kezar Falls	Mrs. Lilla Gentlemen	9 11 10 38	8.00	10 16 13 24	8.00	10 12 11 9	8.00	10 16 13 24	8.00	12 13 11 60	9.00	12 30 29 18	7.00
Elliott	Flora M. Eastman	11 25 22 8	8.00	8 24 23 9	8.00	8 24 23 9	8.00	8 24 23 9	8.00	12 20 18 10	10.00	12 9 7 9	7.00
Elliott	Harriet C. Curtis	9 11 8 2	8.00	10 14 12 5	8.00	10 14 12 5	8.00	10 14 12 5	8.00	12 13 10 23	7.00		
Middle Road	Mrs. Marion G. Durgin	10 23 21 5	8.50	10 28 23 87	8.00	10 28 23 87	8.00	10 28 23 87	8.00				
North Road	S. Maud Lougee	11 8 7 3	6.00	10 9 7 8	6.00	10 9 7 8	6.00	10 9 7 8	6.00				
North Road	Hattie E. Mathews	12 8 6 19	7.00	10 9 8 4	7.00	10 9 8 4	7.00	10 9 8 4	7.00				
Maplewood	George Wentworth	9 8 6 2	7.00										
Maplewood	Hazel G. Hasty												
East Parsonsfeld	Lena M. Strout												
East Parsonsfeld	Metta M. Stone												
East Parsonsfeld	Lillian G. Burbank												
E. Parsonsfeld Primary	F. Ruby Boynton												
Fenderson	F. Ruby Boynton												
West Parsonsfeld	Sarah L. Russell												
West Parsonsfeld	Estelle B. Weymouth												
South Parsonsfeld	Florence M. Day												

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM C. McCUE.



Vital Statistics from the Town Records

BIRTHS, 1911.

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Mar. 31	Clarence Fenderson	Male	Fred W. Morrill	Annie Fenderson
Apr. 16	Nelson Duane	Male	Geo. Chapman	Mildred Howe
May 11		Female	W. M. Meserve	Annie Chadbourn
May 19	Juliette R.	Female	John Tanguay	
July 14	Caroline Alice	Female	Harry F. Nelson	Arvilla F. Templeton
Aug. 3	Phyllice Caldwell	Female	E. A. Leavitt	Josephine Haynes
Aug. 15	Theodore L.	Male	Raymond L. Chase	Emma Wilson
Aug. 19		Female	John Frost	Julia Chauncy
Aug. 24		Female	James H. Hallett	Margurite Hallett
Aug. 25		Male	Leonard C. Leavitt	Isa Kenison
Sept. 6		Male	Woodbury Eldridge	Dora B. White
Sept. 6		Male	Woodbury Eldridge	Dora B. White
Oct. 16		Female	Carl L. Taylor	Ruth Wheeler
Nov. 1		Male	Horatio Tripp	Sadie A. Witham
Nov. 6		Female	Alfred N. Edgecomb	Edith M. Goodwin
Nov. 26		Female	John F. Fenderson	Queenie Lane
Nov. 7		Female	R. T. Sawyer	Agnes V. Weeks
Dec. 19		Male	Arthur F. Cotton	Gertrude Gould

MARRIAGES, 1911.

Date	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride	Residence	By Whom Married
Apr. 8	Parsonsfield, Me.	Charles Moulton Florence E. Taylor	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. J. F. Keith
Apr. 26	Parsonsfield, Me.	Ernest L. Pease	Somerville, Mass.	
Aug. 30	Parsonsfield, Me.	Margie R. Taylor Everett H. Austin	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. J. F. Keith
Sept. 24	Parsonsfield, Me.	Lillian Gertrude Wagner John F. Osgood	Shapleigh, Me.	Rev. J. F. Keith
Sept. 30	Parsonsfield, Me.	Nellie E. Pearl Herbert Kittridge	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. H. H. Richardson
Oct. 5	Parsonsfield, Me.	Florence E. Davis Charles I. Lewis	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. E. Davis, J. P.
Nov. 11	Parsonsfield, Me.	Evelyn B. Edgerly Everett Towle	Porter, Me.	Rev. F. C. Potter
Nov. 12	Parsonsfield, Me.	Annie E. Day Leon Marston	Hiram, Me.	
Dec. 12	Parsonsfield, Me.	Mildred G. Ward Eldon L. Smith	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. L. A. Wentworth
Dec. 20	Cambridge, Mass.	Marcia A. Leonard Frank L. Morrill Mary C. Buchanan	Parsonsfield, Me. Parsonsfield, Me. Cambridge, Mass.	Rev. D. W. Stevens Rev. D. W. Stevens Rev. Herbert Johnson

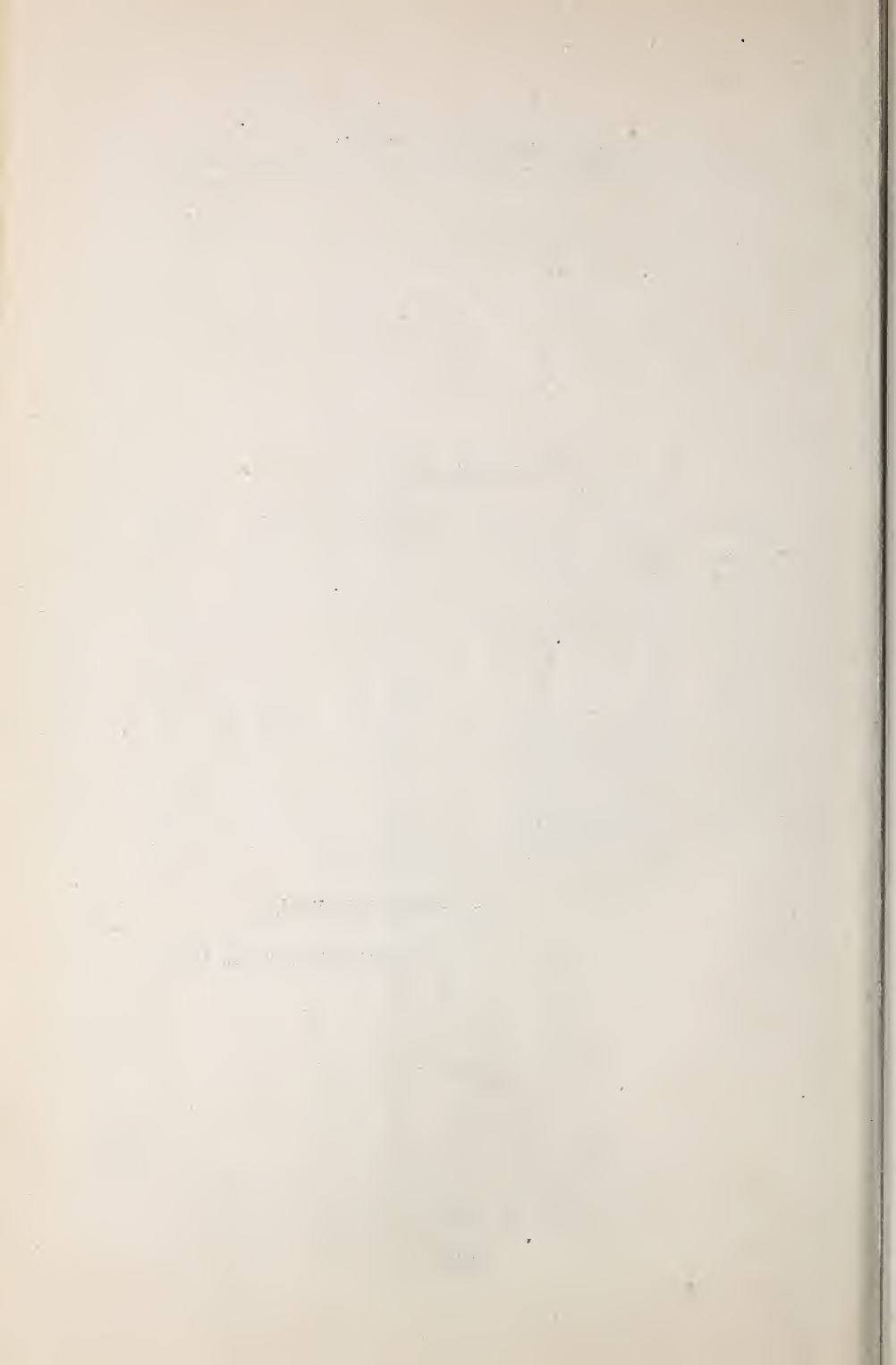
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DEATHS, 1911.

Date	Name	Years	Mo.	Days
Jan. 7	Susan E. Churchill	71	11	23
Jan. 10	Guy C. Haynes	23	4	27
Feb. 9	Patience Day	70	3	
Feb. 25	John Libby	—	—	—
Feb. 28	Silvia Bushby	72	8	17
Mar. 3	Meritt Elmer Hale	57	—	—
Mar. 4	Betsy Andrews	89	4	3
Mar. 5	Eliza Pendexter	89	—	—
Mar. 10	Eva West	26	—	—
Mar. 16	Moses S. Roberts	63	7	16
Mar. 28	Philip Sanborn	16	2	15
July 7	Alice M. Weeks	89	0	11
Aug. 18	Baby Frost	0	0	0
Sept. 5	Alpheus Hilton	79	—	—
Oct. 28	Fannie E. Tripp	58	3	1
Dec. 10	Royal Hammond	66	4	10
Dec. 27	Edith M. Wyman	29	5	16

Respectfully Submitted,

A. J. MOULTON, Town Clerk.



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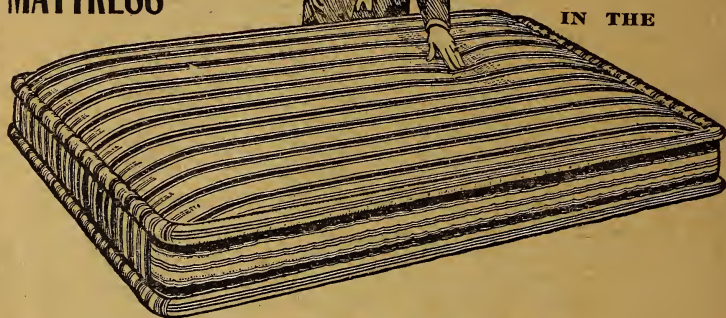
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Town Officers, 1912-1913

Town Clerk.

A. J. MOULTON.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.

HARRY B. PRATT, L. E. BURBANK,
W. G. O. RIDLON.

Treasurer.

GEO. E. DAVIS.

Superintending School Committee.

ANSEL S. DAVIS, P. W. BENTON,
*N. W. FENDERSON, **JOHN H. MERRILL.

Agent.

J. MERRILL LORD.

Road Commissioners.

JOHN OSGOOD, CHAS. W. DAVIS,
W. W. BURBANK.

Auditor.

HOWARD WENTWORTH.

Board of Health.

J. A. KENNARD, F. G. DEVEREUX,
ALBERT R. LEAVITT.

Collector.

CHESTER A. WEST.

Truant Officers.

DANIEL E. GARLAND, P. W. BENTON,
FOREST P. LEAVITT.

Constable.

L. HARDY MERRILL.

*Resigned. **Appointed.

Warrant

STATE OF MAINE.

York, ss.

To L. Hardy Merrill, a Constable in the Town of Parsonsfield. Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Parsonsfield, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town on the tenth day of March, A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

2nd. To choose a Clerk for the year ensuing.

3rd. To hear and act on the reports of the town officers for the past year.

4th. To choose Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor for the year ensuing.

5th. To choose a Treasurer for the year ensuing.

6th. To choose a Superintending School Committee for three years.

7th. To choose a Superintending School Committee for two years.

8th. To choose a Town Agent for the year ensuing.

9th. To choose an Auditor of accounts for the year ensuing.

10th. To choose a Road Commissioner or Commissioners for the year ensuing.

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11th. To choose a Director of the Piper Fund for three years.

12th. Choose all other necessary town officers.

13th. To raise a sum of money for the support of schools.

14th. To raise a sum of money for the purchase of school books and supplies.

15th. To raise a sum of money for building and repairing highway and bridges.

16th. To raise a sum of money for breaking down snow in winter of 1913-14.

17th. To raise a sum of money for the repair of school houses.

18th. To raise a sum of money for memorial services in Parsonsfield.

19th. To raise a sum of money for the support of the poor and to defray all other town charges and expenses.

20th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Superintending School Committee to contract with Parsonsfield Seminary, situated in said town, to appropriate and expend all money available for Free High School purposes for the instruction of scholars in town at said Seminary.

21st. To see if the town will vote Yes or No on the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, as amended by Chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to State aid for highways for the year 1913.

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22nd. To see if the town will raise and appropriate in addition to the amount regularly raised and appropriated for the care of highways and bridges, the sum of \$400, being the maximum amount the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine, for the year 1907, as amended by Chapter 69 of the Public Laws of 1909.

23rd. To see if the town will vote to buy a Road Machine and raise a sum of money for the same.

24th. To raise a sum of money for the destruction of the brown tail moth, as provided by law.

25th. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Superintending School Committee to use their discretion in regard to which schools shall be maintained during the school year of 1913.

26th. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to be used for the benefit of Libraries in town.

27th. To see if the town will vote to increase the salary of the Town Clerk, to cover the extra work caused by the new State laws, said increase to begin with the year 1912.

28th. To choose a director of the Piper Fund for two years.

HARRY B. PRATT,

L. E. BURBANK,

W. G. O. RIDLON,

Selectmen of Parsonsfield.

Treasurer's Report

Receipts.

Balance from last year	\$2278.99
Received of J. M. Lord, Treasurer, income Piper Fund	137.50
Received of L. E. Burbank, oxen Town Farm	200.00
Received of W. W. Burbank, use of oxen ...	.75
Received of L. E. Burbank, cows, Town Farm	132.50
Received of Rufus Allen, Town Farm	16.70
Received of I. M. Stanley, Auctioneer li- cense	2.00
Received of F. B. Davis, poolroom license ..	10.00
Received of Town Clerk, dog licenses	138.00
Received of J. M. Lord, Treasurer, income Piper Fund	125.00
Received of State Treasurer, dog license refunded 1911	111.05
Received of W. W. Burbank, hay, Town Farm	20.00
Received of State Treasurer, burial of sol- dier	35.00
Received of State Treasurer, State road	400.00
Received of State Treasurer, on State pen- sions	63.00
Received of State Treasurer, R. R. & Tel. tax	25.84

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Received of State Treasurer, school and mill fund	850.69
Received of State Treasurer, Common School fund	789.09
Received of State Treasurer, Free High School	500.00
Received of Town of Cornish, tuition	128.00
Received of Town of Newfield, tuition	29.50
Received of E. E. Guptill, apples, Town Farm	21.70
Received of J. M. Lord, Treasurer on income Piper fund	100.00
Received of J. M. Lord, Treasurer on income Piper fund	100.00
Received of W. G. O. Ridlon, use of pasture, Town Farm	7.00
Received of W. M. Meserve, oats, Town Farm	20.54
Received of L. E. Burbank, oats, Town Farm	2.45
Received of L. E. Burbank, hay, Town Farm	73.88
Received of L. E. Burbank, ice, Town Farm,	5.00
Received of W. G. O. Ridlon, plank and can,	1.62
Received of E. W. Sawyer, license for sale fireworks	1.00
Received of H. B. Pratt, oat straw, Town Farm	15.00
Received of C. A. West, Col. 1911, A. H. Downes tax abated	2.75
Received of C. A. West, Col. 1911	37.29
Received of P. W. Benton, Col. 1910	5.50
Received of C. A. West, Col. 1912	10095.00

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Interest	88.30
Received of Treasurer, Min. & Sch, fund, part of income	40.00
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	\$16610.64

Expenditures.

State Treasurer, dog licenses, 1912	\$ 138.00
County Treasurer, County tax, 1912	577.33
State Treasurer, State tax, 1912	1985.39
Geo. E. Perkins, State pensions, 1912..	36.00
Cyrus E. Brown, State pensions, 1912	48.00
Town orders	11075.48
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	\$13860.20
	\$16610.64
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Balance in treasury	\$2750.44

I have examined the accounts of the several Town Officers and find them correct and respectfully submit the following report.

HOWARD WENTWORTH, Auditor.

Selectmen and Assessors' Report

Valuation, 1912.

Real estate, resident	\$268,795.00
Real estate, non-resident	81,095.00
Personal estate, resident	91,980.00
Personal estate, non-resident	19,910.00
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	\$461,780.00

Assessments.

State tax	\$1985.39
County tax	577.33
Schools	1200.00
Text books and supplies	150.00
Highways and bridges	2000.00
Four roads leading from Cornish and Wake- field Station	200.00
School house repairs	250.00
Memorial	20.00
Support of poor and other town charges ...	1350.00
State road	400.00
To grade road to Roberts Corner	200.00
Lighting streets of Kezar Falls	100.00
Repairs of Town House	75.00
Brown tail moths	300.00
Use of hydrants	150.00

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Parsonsfield and Kezar Falls libraries	50.00
Cutting bushes	300.00
Breaking down snow	500.00
Overlay	274.88

\$10082.60

Supplementary tax	58.35
Brown tail moths	30.50

Commitment\$10,171.45

Number of polls assessed308

Poll tax\$2.75

Rate02

Resources.

Cash in treasury \$2750.44

Due from M. S. Crenner, use of
ox pasture 6.00

Due from State, burial expenses
Geo. Abbott 37.00

Due from State, on State pen-
sions 21.00

Due from E. L. Pease, apples 2.70

Due from Chester West, Col. 1912 76.45

\$2893.59

Liabilities.

Outstanding orders, 1907 to 1910, \$ 33.66

Outstanding orders, 1912 255.78

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Due school house repairs	150.75	
Due text books and supplies	4.44	
Due memorial	17.30	
Due repairs on Town Farm		
Buildings	22.32	
Due repairs on Town House	75.00	
Due four roads leading from Cornish and Wakefield Station	99.76	
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		\$659.01

Excess of resources over liabilities	\$2234.58
Estimated bills outstanding, Feb. 20, 1913 ..	\$200.00

General Town Expenses.

Town officers	\$650.00	
Miscellaneous	278.22	
Support of poor not on Town		
Farm	770.85	
Town Farm	464.77	
Abatements	53.12	
Pensions paid	84.00	
Highway, winter 1910-11	6.00	
Highway, summer 1910	21.00	
Highway, summer 1911	8.58	
Overexpended, summer 1912 ...	112.73	
State road, 1910-11	12.20	
Overexpended, State road, 1912..	24.88	
Overexpended, brown tail moths,	46.26	
Overexpended, schools	130.84	
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		\$2663.45

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Funds Available to Meet General Town Expenses

Appropriation	\$1350.00	
Balance, winter 1912-13	133.08	
Balance, cutting bushes	125.97	
Town Farm receipts	517.14	
Poolroom license	10.00	
Auctioneer license	2.00	
License for sale of fireworks	1.00	
A. H. Downes, paid tax abated		
1911	2.75	
Received from State Treasurer,		
burial of soldier	35.00	
Received from State Treasurer,		
on State pensions	63.00	
Refunded dog tax	111.05	
R. R. & Tel. tax	25.84	
Interest	88.30	
Overlay	274.88	
Supplementary tax	58.35	
		\$2798.36
Balance		\$134.91

Highway, Winter, 1910-11.

Silas M. Boothby, housing roller	\$3.00
Leon C. Wheeler, labor	3.00
	\$6.00

Highway, Winter, Feb. 20, 1912 — Feb. 20, 1913.

David Linscott, labor	\$ 1.00
D. A. Brooks, snowing Porter bridge	1.50

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H. D. Marston, labor	4.50
H. D. Marston, labor	7.50
T. H. Doe, labor	3.00
N. W. Fenderson, labor	7.00
A. J. Moulton, labor .....	.75
Harry B. Pratt, labor	5.00
B. F. Linscott, labor	3.50
Frank I. Wentworth, labor	1.20
Daniel Wilson, labor	11.50
H. D. Marston, labor .....	.75
Luther Colby, labor .....	.75
Ernest Hussey, labor	12.63
H. J. Glidden, labor	5.00
W. J. Philbrick, snowing Porter bridge	5.00
E. C. & C. A. West, labor	10.00
Geo. I. Huntress, labor	1.26
G. E. Dickerson, labor	2.10
E. B. Wadleigh, repairs on roller	3.00
Ruric R. West, labor .....	.75
Leon R. Hussey, hauling roller	2.00
C. F. Towle, labor	13.30
C. L. Weeman, labor	30.00
Charles Moulton, labor on road roller	4.35
Silas M. Boothby, labor	13.68
A. H. Milliken, labor	15.87
H. D. & A. O. Moulton, labor	4.50
J. M. Chellis, labor	2.00
Geo. W. Lord, labor	6.00
T. W. Burnham, labor	1.05
L. E. Sanborn, labor	4.00
W. W. Burbank, labor	2.70
L. B. Merrill, labor	3.50
M. Newell, labor	2.00

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C. C. Moulton, labor	3.00
C. L. Moulton, labor	1.50
C. L. Moulton, labor	4.00
E. G. Pease, labor	7.00
A. H. Downes, hauling and housing rollers, ..	12.00
Lester Downs, housing rollers	2.00
E. L. Pease, labor	6.00
G. A. Sanborn, labor	3.45
E. M. Doe, labor	1.00
E. E. Wadleigh, labor	37.28
Simon Brown, labor	6.00
Curtis M. Sweat, labor	1.00
O. E. Watson, housing roller	2.00
L. A. Wentworth, labor	5.05
Chas. W. Davis, moving and oiling roller ..	10.00
S. G. Pease, oil for roller	1.20
Chas. Towle, labor	10.00
Fred A. Nutter, labor	3.00
C. W. Davis, labor	12.00
Chas. L. Weeman, labor	10.00
Harry B. Pratt, plank for rollers	8.00
John F. Collomy, housing roller	1.50
John F. Collomy, labor	10.50
Geo. E. Davis, labor	16.80

\$366.92

Appropriation	\$500.00
Balance	133.08

Highway, Summer, 1910.

Jas. W. Bickford, labor	\$ 3.00
D. W. Downes, labor	2.50

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R. C. Sawyer, labor	15.50
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	\$21.00

Highway, Summer, 1911.

D. W. Downes, labor	\$2.80
Cyrus K. Foss, labor67
Luther Colby, labor	4.11
M. H. Towle, labor	2.00
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	\$8.58

Highway, Summer, 1912.

L. S. Champion, labor	\$18.89
Charles A. Peary, labor	10.15
John S. French, labor	14.00
W. W. Burbank, labor	40.00
Lester Burbank, labor	6.00
Ruric West, labor	12.72
H. W. Leavitt, labor	14.45
Ernest W. Hussey, labor	9.62
Perry Brothers, highway supplies	2.00
John Osgood, labor	3.50
Ralph Stacy, labor	55.00
L. Hardy Merrill, labor .....	.87
Albia Lane, labor	3.75
Frank Alley, labor	3.75
Edwin Alley, labor	5.25
Howard Smith, labor	6.00
C. F. Towle, labor	16.50
L. E. Kendall, road supplies	4.13
Wilbur Hasty, labor	12.75

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C. L. Weeman, labor	8.25
Bradford Cook, labor	4.38
Reuben Archibald, labor	13.12
H. J. Glidden, labor	15.75
Geo. Waterhouse, labor	5.25
Ellsworth Burbank, labor	5.68
Homer Glidden, labor	5.68
C. W. Davis, labor and cash paid	27.25
C. L. Weeman, labor	2.50
C. W. Davis, services as commissioner	50.00
Chas. & C. L. Moulton, labor	10.50
T. W. Burnham, labor	5.63
W. W. Burbank, labor	25.60
Ray Burbank, labor	3.50
S. O. Hasty, labor	4.50
Albie Lane, labor	6.75
J. F. Bickford, labor	4.00
N. W. Fenderson, labor	3.00
Orin Sprague, labor	1.50
Sumner Edwards, labor	1.50
Chaster West, cash paid for labor	146.08
Clarence Towle, labor	7.88
Alonzo Bickford, labor	3.75
Silas Boothby, labor	30.75
A. H. Milliken, labor	17.90
Asa Johnson, labor	12.00
Chester West, C. W. Davis' road bills	242.67
Horace Brown, labor	3.00
E. M. Dearborn, labor	3.00
Frank L. Day, labor	7.50
Will Mason labor	7.50
Willis Clark, labor	6.00
Howard Smith, labor	4.50

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W. G. O. Ridlon, labor	4.50
Ernest Edwards, labor	7.00
H. W. Leavitt, labor	32.00
H. D. & A. O. Moulton, labor	6.00
D. B. Durgin, labor	19.25
Ransom Sawyer, labor	2.55
D. S. Chellis, labor	7.50
J. M. & J. C. Chellis, labor	12.75
F. W. Morrill, and J. G. Fenderson, labor...	12.75
B. T. & G. W. Lord, labor	11.25
Frank W. Day, labor	3.75
C. E. Weeman, mending chains, drills, etc...	1.50
H. J. Glidden, labor	12.25
Samuel M. Boothby, labor	4.25
C. E. Wood, hauling bridge plank	2.50
J. S. Weeks, stone for highway	1.00
Cyrus Foss, labor	1.35
Wilbur Hasty, labor	3.00
Elliott Dearborn, labor	1.20
Horace Brown, labor	1.50
J. H. Merrill, labor	10.20
J. H. Merrill, labor	3.52
S. O. Hasty, labor	1.50
C. F. Towle, labor	3.62
Samuel Garland, 438 feet plank	7.00
Arthur W. Hanson, 30 loads dirt	3.00
H. J. Glidden, repairs on road machine....	6.00
W. W. Burbank, labor	7.00
W. W. Burbank, services as road commis- sioner	50.00
W. W. Burbank, labor	14.25
Daniel Garland, labor	2.00
Elmer Day, labor	1.50

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C. C. Moulton, labor	4.50
M. Newell, making and using king drag....	18.00
M. S. Crenner, labor	5.50
L. C. Boothby labor	7.50
Lewis Eastman, labor	1.50
Plummer Wilkinson, labor	3.30
C. W. Davis, paid for labor	116.75
Chester West, labor and cash paid.....	307.84
Charles Peary, labor	11.65
H. H. Doe, labor	1.40
E. G. Pease, labor	12.00
David Linscott, labor	5.00
Frank Gammon, labor	9.75
A. H. Downes, labor	8.55
Fred A. Nutter, labor	28.00
F. A. Gilpatrick, labor	8.75
Arthur Lane, labor	8.88
C. I. Dennett, labor	3.00
Laforest Doe, labor	17.25
J. C. Chellis, labor	1.50
John Woodsom, 800 ft. plank for bridge....	13.95
C. L. Neal, bridge stringers and labor.....	5.50
S. G. Pease, rock picker and fuse	1.10
E. E. Wadleigh, making log drag	5.00
W. H. Fenderson, labor	25.50
N. W. Fenderson, labor	2.25
Asa Johnson, labor	3.00
Simon Brown, labor	5.25
B. F. Linscott, labor	8.61
John Whiting, labor	12.00
C. W. Davis, cash paid for bridge plank and labor	94.05
Eugene M. Doe, labor	7.00

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Chas. Towle, labor	36.50
Charles W. Davis, labor	47.50
Batchelder-Fox Co., highway supplies....	3.68
Kezar Falls Woolen Co., labor	9.70
Edwin A. Leavitt, labor	8.76
Harry B. Pratt, lumber for highway	15.04
Sokokis Lumber Co., bridge lumber	15.28
J. Merrill Lord, labor	11.10
John F. Collomy, labor	6.70

\$2112.73

Appropriation	\$2000.00
Overexpended	112.73

State Road, 1910-11.

Kezar Falls Woolen Co., pipe for road 1910..	\$7.20
W. A. Stewart, split stone 1911	5.00

\$12.20

State Road 1912.

W. M. Meserve, labor	\$58.00
John Benson, labor	33.00
Eugene Dudley, labor	25.37
Will McDonald, labor	24.50
Lester Burbank, labor	25.37
Eugene Hoyt, labor	16.62
Elmer Edwards, labor	18.37
W. F. Edwards, labor	23.62
Plumer Wilkinson, labor	18.37
Robert Benson, labor	5.25

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Clinton Wood, labor	20.00
Mell Newell, labor	26.00
A. H. Downes, labor	42.00
Lester Burbank, labor	7.87
John Benson, labor	38.00
W. M. Meserve, labor	54.00
W. McDonald, labor	28.00
W. Edwards, labor	30.62
Plummer Wilkinson, labor	28.87
Eugene Dudley, labor	28.00
Harry Boothby, labor	24.50
Elmer Day, labor	28.00
Elmer Edwards, labor	15.75
Ernest Edwards, labor	15.75
Allen Hamlin, labor	60.00
Mell Newell, labor	52.00
Clinton Wood, labor	42.00
Clinton Wood, labor	1.50
John Benson, labor	3.55
J. W. Cole, gravel	30.00

\$824.88

Appropriation	\$400.00
Received from State	400.00

\$800.00

Overexpended	\$24.88
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Cutting Bushes.

Albie Lane	\$ 3.00
Chester West, cash paid for cutting bushes	73.06

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Elmer Day	4.50
Samuel Garland	2.50
Alonzo and Carlton Bickford	3.75
Willis Clark	3.00
Frank L. Day	5.25
Will Mason	5.25
Howard Smith .....	.75
A. H. Milliken	3.00
W. G. O. Ridlon .....	.75
J. M. & J. C. Chellis	9.00
W. S. Hasty	1.50
Cyrus Foss	4.50
Ernest W. Hussey	6.12
W. W. Burbank	12.00
C. L. Moulton	1.00
M. S. Crenner	5.25
George D. Waterhouse	8.75
David Linscott	5.00
H. W. Leavitt	3.50
David Lougee	6.00
Asa Johnson	3.00
Frank Bickford .....	.60
James W. Bickford	3.00

\$174.03

Appropriation	\$300.00
Balance	125.97

Brown Tail Moths.

Edwin A. Leavitt	\$10.70
John C. Frost	12.05
Russell D. Leavitt	10.70

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Ralph E. Leavitt	8.05
Ellsworth Burbank	3.90
L. E. Burbank	18.75
Roger Burbank	6.00
Leslie E. Alley	12.80
W. G. O. Ridlon, gathering moths and cash paid	22.00
Delbert C. Nutter	6.60
Albert E. Shea	11.50
K. Homer Glidden	8.55
Jesse Marston	4.00
W. W. Burbank	6.00
F. C. Milliken	2.00
John Loxton	3.50
Lester A. Burbank	16.00
Wilbur S. Hasty	16.00
J. C. Chellis	26.50
Ralph E. Leavitt, Tarbox, Merrill and Bisbee farms	7.50
John C. Frost, Tarbox, Merrill and Bisbee farms	7.50
Harry L. Burbank	13.12
Elmer F. Day	4.88
Delbert C. Nutter	4.00
T. T. Linscott	5.50
T. T. Linscott	5.50
Chester West	82.96
John C. Frost	5.00
G. I. Huntress	6.20
M. H. Towle	2.00
Elwin F. Towne	1.50
Robert Benson, gathering moths, Robert Leavitt farm	1.75

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Ransom Sawyer	1.75
A. H. & W. N. Milliken	4.00
Frank H. Bickford	3.25
Allen S. Hamlin	2.00
Clarence F. Towle	2.00
A. J. Moulton	3.00
Simon Brown	2.25
Fred Collomy	1.00
John F. Collomy	4.50

\$376.76

Appropriation	\$300.00
Amount collected	30.50

\$330.50

Overexpended \$46.26

Memorial.

T. T. Linscott, memorial service	\$1.50
Howard H. Doe, decorating graves	1.50
A. J. Moulton, flags and decorating	5.20
C. W. Davis, memorial service	3.00
John E. Lougee, memorial service	3.00

\$14.20

Appropriation	\$20.00
Balance unexpended 1912	11.50

31.50

Balance \$17.30

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Repairs on Town House.

Appropriation (unexpended)	\$75.00
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Parsonsfield and Kezar Falls Libraries.

Parsonsfield library	\$25.00
Kezar Falls library	25.00
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	\$50.00
Appropriation	\$50.00

Parsonsfield Seminary.

Income Piper fund	\$137.50
Income Piper fund	100.00
State aid	500.00
Income Piper fund	100.00
Income Piper fund	125.00
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	\$962.50

Use of Water Hydrants, Kezar Falls.

Kezar Falls Water Co.	\$150.00
Appropriation	150.00

Lighting Streets of Kezar Falls.

Kezar Falls & Cornish Light and Power Co.,	\$100.00
Appropriation	100.00

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Grading Road to Roberts Corner.

E. W. Emery	\$200.00
Appropriation	200.00

Four Roads Leading From Cornish and Wakefield Station.

Chester A. West	\$100.24
Appropriation	200.00

Balance	99.76
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Abatements.

P. W. Benton, Collector, 1910	\$4.50
Ormond Watson, loss of horse	1.20
M. H. Nutter, error in valuation	8.00
Forrest I. Doe, loss of horse .....	.50
Eugene M. Doe, loss of horse	1.00
Chas. & Nettie Philbrick, loss of horse .....	.60
Chester A. West, Collector, 1911	7.37
Chester A. West, Collector, 1912	24.70
Chester A. West, Collector, 1912	5.25

\$53.12

Taxes Abated to P. W. Benton, Collector, 1910.

James Bridges	\$4.50
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Taxes Abated to Chester West, Collector, 1911.

Eugene C. Doe	\$2.75
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J. M. Glidden	2.75
E. G. Perry	1.87
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	\$7.37

Taxes Abated to Chester West, Collector, 1912.

C. E. & Louise Dickinson	\$ 4.45
Hubbard & Co.	12.00
Albert Sha	2.75
Homer Weymouth	2.75
Harry Hobbs	2.75
P. E. Chapman	5.25
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	\$29.95

Unpaid Taxes, 1912.

CHESTER WEST, COLLECTOR.

Everet Austin	\$ 2.75
Simon Brown	2.75
Ernest Coombs	2.75
T. S. Davis	2.70
Woodbury Eldridge	3.75
Earl Howard	2.75
Mellen Moody .....	.50
Leon Marston	3.75
Harrison Taylor	1.00
Geo. F. Tripp	1.35
Lester Wilkinson	2.75
John F. Moody	1.50
Mary A. Perry est.,	4.15
Warren Reed	12.00

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Clafin Whitney	15.00
Reginald Welch	11.00
Richard Dearborn	6.00
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	\$76.45

Schools.

Arthur Guptill, wood for Kezar Falls school,	\$ 3.50
W. T. Norton, wood for Kezar Falls School,	10.00
E. A. Leavitt, conveyance	18.00
Fred N. Leavitt, wood for N. Parsonsfield school	9.00
W. M. Meserve, wood for Middle Road school	12.75
Marion G. Durgin, janitor service	3.00
Marion G. Durgin, teaching	108.00
Hattie E. Mathews, teaching	108.00
Meda Nason, janitor service	2.50
Hazel G. Hasty, teaching	70.00
Hazel G. Hasty, janitor service	2.50
Ellen H. Libby, teaching	80.00
Ellen H. Libby, janitor service	2.50
Meda Nason, teaching	80.00
Ethel M. Weymouth, teaching	70.00
Ethel M. Weymouth, janitor service	2.50
Estelle B. Weymouth, teaching	70.00
Hattie E. Mathews, janitor service	3.00
Parsonsfeld Seminary, wood for N. Par- sonsfeld school	4.00
Estelle B. Weymouth, janitor service	2.50
Lillian Burbank, teaching	70.00
Lillian Burbank, janitor service	2.50

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Juliette Edwards, conveyance	27.00
William Sanborn, conveyance	27.00
Howard Doe, conveyance	37.60
A. J. Evans, conveyance	15.00
Walter Cross, conveyance	11.25
William Sanborn, conveyance	11.00
Geo. W. Lord, wood for E. Parsonsfield school	20.00
Geo. W. Lord, wood for E. Parsonsfield school	16.00
Hazel G. Hasty, teaching	32.00
Ethel Weymouth, teaching	32.00
Lillian Burbank, teaching	32.00
Chas. W. Davis, wood for W. Parsonsfield school	12.00
F. W. Towne, wood for E. Parsonsfield school	10.00
Mrs. Walter Cross, conveyance	17.50
Grace W. Tibbetts, conveyance	22.00
Gertrude Wentworth, teaching	96.00
Flora M. Milliken, teaching	15.00
Lillian Burbank, teaching	64.00
Josephine Leavitt, conveyance	48.00
Almira W. Frost, teaching	84.00
Lyle N. Harmon, teaching	14.00
Ethel M. Weymouth, teaching	64.00
Howard Doe, conveyance	44.00
Hazel G. Hasty, teaching	64.00
Almira W. Frost, janitor service	2.75
Lyle N. Harmon, janitor service	2.75
Gertrude Wentworth, janitor service	2.75
Philip Gilpatrick, janitor service	3.00
Ethel Weymouth, janitor service	2.75

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Lillian Burbank, janitor service	2.75
Hazel G. Hasty, janitor service	2.75
Frederick Trueworthy, conveyance	72.00
William Sanborn, conveyance	17.50
Juliette Edwards, conveyance	38.50
William Sanborn, conveyance	21.00
Walter Cross, conveyance	8.00
Frederick Trueworthy, conveyance	50.00
Edwin A. Leavitt, conveyance	48.00
David Lougee, conveyance	66.00
Rita Bachelder, teaching	35.00
Rita Bachelder, janitor service	2.25
Lyle N. Harmon, teaching	70.00
Lilla E. Gentleman, teaching	34.50
Lilla E. Gentleman, janitor service	2.75
Lilla E. Gentleman, teaching	25.50
Lilla E. Gentleman, teaching	34.00
Rita Bachelder, teaching	28.00
Flora M. Milliken, teaching	75.00
Lillian Burbank, teaching	32.00
Ethel Weymouth, teaching	32.00
Town of Porter, tuition Clarence Stewart ..	7.25
A. J. Evans, conveyance	6.00
Elmer F. Day, sawing wood	1.65
Lyle N. Harmon, teaching	56.00
Rita Bachelder, teaching	28.00
Lillian Burbank, teaching	56.00
Ethel Weymouth, teaching	56.00
Lyle Harmon, teaching	21.00
Mrs. Harry P. Jameson, teaching music	
Kezar Falls	4.80
Lilla E. Gentleman, janitor service	2.75
Gertrude Wentworth, janitor service	2.75

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Annie Collomy, janitor service	2.75
Hazel G. Hasty, janitor service	2.75
Almira W. Frost, janitor service	1.50
Kathryn Wadleigh, janitor service	2.75
Lyle N. Harmon, janitor service	2.75
Ethel Weymouth, janitor service	2.75
Lillian Burbank, janitor service	2.75
Rita Bachelder, janitor service	2.75
Gertrude Wentworth, teaching	88.00
Almira Frost, teaching	42.00
Jacob Champion, hauling wood for Kezar Falls school	1.50
Town of Effingham, tuition	81.69
Almira W. Frost, teaching and janitor ser- vice	7.25
Chas. W. Davis, wood for W. Parsonsfield school	11.00
Hazel G. Hasty, teaching	88.00
Rita Bachelder, teaching	21.00
Annie Collomy, teaching	77.00
Lilla E. Gentleman, teaching	25.50
Kathryn Wadleigh, teaching	77.00
Samuel Boothby, conveyance	33.00
Harry Burbank, conveyance	44.00
Rita Bachelder, teaching	28.00
Lilla E. Gentleman, teaching	34.00
Sokokis Lumber Company, edgings Kezar Falls school	2.00
Frederick Trueworthy, conveyance	41.50
Hattie G. Pratt, conveyance	33.00

\$3259.49

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Appropriation	\$1200.00
Balance 1912	91.37
Common school fund	789.09
School and Mill Fund	850.69
Min. and School Fund	40.00
Newfield tuition	29.50
Cornish tuition	128.00
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	\$3128.65
Overexpended	\$130.84

School House Repairs.

P. W. Benton, labor Kezar Falls school house	\$ 1.50
P. W. Benton, freight and cartage on repairs for Kezar Falls school house	1.00
Marion G. Durgin	2.75
Hattie E. Mathews	2.00
Sears Roebuck & Co.	14.15
Levi L. Cook, labor Kezar Falls school house	62.68
Lillian Burbank	3.00
Hazel G. Hasty	1.63
Bachelor-Fox Co., Kezar Falls school house	12.37
Rose Mason, cleaning E. Parsonsfield school house	4.00
Ralph Burbank, E. Parsonsfield school house	3.00
J. H. Merrill, Fenderson school house	4.05
J. B. Watson & Son, Middle Road	9.50
R. C. Sawyer, Kezar Falls school house	1.00
O. L. Stanley, Kezar Falls school house	4.00

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Rose Champion, cleaning Kezar Falls school house	6.00
E. H. Sawyer, Kezar Falls school house	5.83
P. W. Benton, material Kezar Falls school house	4.00
Sokokis Lumber Co., lumber for Kezar Falls school house	14.17
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	\$156.63
Appropriation	\$250.00
Balance unexpended 1912	57.38
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	\$307.38
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Balance	\$150.75

Text Books and Supplies.

Webb-Smith Printing Co., printing report cards	\$ 1.25
Marion Durgin, supplies	2.30
Hazel G. Hasty, supplies .....	.60
A. M. Palmer Co., text books	1.60
Silver Burdett Co., text books	8.20
Porteous, Mitchell & Braun, pictures	2.00
Edward E. Babb, text books	16.12
Silver Burdett Co., text books	3.00
American Book Co., text books	5.05
Webb-Smith Printing Co., letter heads and blanks	1.95
N. J. Foss, express on text books	5.00
Hattie E. Mathews, supplies	2.80
Newell White, order book50

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American Book Co., text books	12.00
Ginn & Co., text books	7.65
E. E. Babb Co., supplies	16.76
S. G. Pease, supplies	1.14
Flora M. Milliken, supplies .....	.60
Lyle N. Harmon, supplies	1.00
E. E. Babb Co., text books	9.90
I. N. Brackett, supplies .....	.48
E. E. Babb Co., supplies	24.75
Silver Burdett Co., text books	6.10
Educational Press Co., "Current Events"...	2.40
Webb-Smith Printing Co., supplies	2.00
N. J. Foss, express on text books	2.00
Fred Whiton, express on text books .....	.50
Library Bureau, record cards .....	.70
Reuben Fenderson, supplies	1.80
F. W. Towne, supplies	2.55
W. M. Meserve, supplies .....	.79
W. T. Norton, supplies	2.07

\$145.56

Appropriation	\$150.00
Balance	4.44

Town Officers.

W. W. Burbank, services as Selectman to March 11, 1912	\$14.00
L. Hardy Merrill, services as Ballot Clerk, February and March	3.00
E. H. Hoyt, services as Ballot Clerk, Febru- ary and March	3.00

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L. E. Burbank, services as Selectman to March 11, 1912	12.00
Harry B. Pratt, services as Selectman to March 11, 1912	10.00
A. J. Moulton, services as clerk, 1911 and 1912	10.00
P. W. Benton, services on School Board, 1911	8.00
Ansel S. Davis, services on School Board, 1911	8.00
E. C. Burnham, services on School Board, 1911	15.00
Wm. C. McCue, Superintendent of Schools, 3rd quarter, 1911	25.00
F. C. Milliken, services as Ballot Clerk, Feb- ruary and March	5.00
Wm. C. McCue, Superintendent of Schools, 4th quarter, 1911 and 1912	25.00
W. G. O. Ridlon, services as Selectman in part, 1912	50.00
Wm. C. McCue, Supt. of Schools, 1st quarter, 1912	37.50
Geo. E. Perkins, services as Ballot Clerk, September, 1912	2.00
Ansel S. Davis, services on School Board ..	18.00
Geo. C. Stewart, services as Ballot Clerk ...	6.00
Forest P. Leavitt, services as Ballot Clerk, February and March	3.00
M. D. Garland, services as Ballot Clerk	6.00
Frank S. Piper, services as Ballot Clerk, November	2.00
P. W. Benton, services on School Board	8.00

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Harry B. Pratt, services as Selectman and Assessor	70.00
Chester West, services as Collector	90.00
L. E. Burbank, services as Selectman and Assessor	84.00
W. G. O. Ridlon, services as Overseer of Poor	4.50
W. G. O. Ridlon, services as Selectman and Assessor	34.00
L. E. Burbank, services as Overseer of Poor,	4.50
Wm. C. McCue, Superintendent of Schools, 2nd quarter, 1912	37.50
Chas. L. Weeman, services as Ballot Clerk, June, September and November	6.00
Geo. E. Davis, services as Treasurer	40.00
N. W. Fenderson, services on School Board,	7.00
Harry B. Pratt, services as Selectman	4.00
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	\$650.00

Miscellaneous.

Loring, Short & Harmon, order book	\$ 2.50
W. W. Burbank, express and telephone75
J. M. Leavitt, recording births and deaths ..	2.50
F. E. Chase, express on town reports .....	.75
A. J. Moulton, postage and printing	3.00
A. J. Moulton, recording vital statistics	6.95
P. W. Benton, watering tub	1.50
P. W. Benton, services as Moderator, 1911 ..	3.00
M. H. Ridlon, town books and blanks	24.00
Averill Press, 450 town reports	35.50
Loring, Short & Harmon, Maine Townsman,	5.00

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M. H. Ridlon, town book	6.50
L. Hardy Merrill, looking after unlicensed dogs	5.00
F. G. Devereux, recording births and deaths,	3.75
A. H. Kenison, watering tub	5.00
W. M. Meserve, stamped envelopes	11.00
C. L. Weeman, watering tub	3.00
J. C. Chellis, cutting bushes in Elisher Piper Cemetery	2.00
Daniel O. Blazo, watering tub	3.00
J. S. Weeks, watering tub	3.00
Arthur W. Hanson, watering tub	3.00
F. W. Morrill, wood for town house	3.50
Loring, Short & Harmon, bill book	6.00
John H. Foss, watering tub	3.00
Fréd A. Nutter, watering tub	3.00
I. N. Lord, damage on highway	5.00
G. W. Weeks, recording deaths .....	.50
C. E. Hodsdon, labor on town house stable ..	10.50
Viola Kezar, watering tub	1.50
Swasey Print, printing moth notices	2.00
F. W. Towne, pump for highway	4.25
Levi L. Cook, roofing for town house stable,	45.46
P. W. Benton, services as moderator, 1912 ..	3.00
P. W. Benton, watering tub	1.50
W. M. Meserve, postage on moth notices ...	3.23
L. E. Burbank, cash paid for telephoning ...	2.00
W. G. O. Ridlon, cash paid for telephoning..	1.50
Wm. C. McCue, cash paid for telephoning and postage	9.54
W. M. Meserve, moth pole and town house supplies	2.04
O. L. Banks, watering tub	1.50

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G. E. Davis, insurance premiums on school houses	36.00
H. B. Pratt, telephoning	2.50
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Support of Poor Not on Town Farm.

A. P. Copp, burial expenses of Royal Ham- mond	\$35.00
Clara A. Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	56.00
Rufus H. Allen, board of paupers	50.00
Harry W. Hill, moving pauper to Limerick..	3.00
L. E. Burbank, paid for use of tomb and digging grave	9.00
Rufus Allen, board of Sarah Seavey	90.00
Clara A. Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	32.00
S. G. Pease, supplies furnished Geo. Abbott,	.95
Ernest Edwards, digging grave	3.00
Horatio Abbott, care of Geo. Abbott	47.00
M. G. Ridlon, attendance Geo. Abbott	4.50
H. K. Tibbetts, medical attendance, Sarah Seavey	8.75
Rufus Allen, board of Sarah Seavey	92.00
Clara A. Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	22.00
Harry B. Pratt and L. E. Burbank, expenses to Sanford on Alley case	12.00
D. G. Lougee, keeping tramp	1.00
Ansel S. Davis, professional services, Mrs. John Libby	8.00
E. F. Stanley, burial Geo. Abbott	32.50
J. A. Kennard, professional services, John Libby	4.50

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Clara A. Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	16.00
Rufus H. Allen, board of Sarah Seavey	78.30
L. W. Carpenter, medical attendance Sarah Seavey	8.00
S. G. Pease, supplies for J. C. Moore	22.00
Clara A. Hussey, board of J. C. Moore	12.00
Town of Sanford, expenses Mrs. Alley and children	78.85
C. E. Libby, burial expenses Sarah Seavey,	30.00
W. W. Burbank, digging grave	2.00
L. E. Burbank, expense to Sanford	6.00
Geo. W. Howard, preaching Geo. Abbotts funeral sermon	2.50
Juliette Edwards, keeping two tramps	2.00
F. G. Devereux, medical attendance	5.00
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	\$770.85

Town Farm.

Charles Holt, repairing tools	\$ 2.15
W. W. Burbank, cutting shingle timber	5.00
T. W. Burnham, labor	2.50
Harry B. Pratt, labor	35.00
Harry B. Pratt, labor	10.00
W. G. O. Ridlon, labor	12.37
Eugene Dudley, labor	1.75
F. W. Towne, oats and grass seed	30.25
Edwards and Walker, sawing shingles	27.75
Harry Boothby, picking rocks	1.75
Lester Burbank, labor	3.60
L. E. Burbank, labor	4.50

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L. E. Burbank, labor	24.00
E. G. Pease, labor	18.00
E. L. Pease, labor	19.12
A. B. Pease, labor	19.12
Ray Burbank, labor	9.00
E. L. Pease, labor	1.75
Lester A. Burbank, shingling on Town Farm buildings	20.63
W. W. Burbank, hauling shingles and lum- ber	8.00
W. G. O. Ridlon, labor	2.50
Fred Glidden, bailing hay	10.00
Reed A. Lang, use of hay press	10.00
Kendall & Whitney, hay wire	7.20
Ernest L. Pease, labor bailing hay	1.75
John C. Chellis, labor bailing hay	6.12
W. W. Burbank, board of men	3.25
Ray Burbank, labor bailing hay	3.50
Lester Burbank, labor bailing hay	6.12
W. W. Burbank, labor bailing hay	6.12
L. E. Burbank, labor bailing hay	21.00
L. E. Burbank, picking rocks	5.50
W. W. Burbank, cutting oats	12.00
Lorenzo Edwards, threshing oats	1.50
C. L. Neal, labor bailing hay	5.00
W. G. O. Ridlon, picking apples	1.75
Edwin Lord, threshing oats	7.28
L. A. Burbank, picking apples	3.93
Wilbur S. Hasty, picking apples	4.00
Raymond Burbank, cutting oats	2.80
Raymond Burbank, zinc for house	1.47
W. W. Burbank, labor	14.25

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Harry Burbank, balance painting Town	
Farm house	35.00
J. H. Roberts, 501 feet boards	7.53
Ernest Libby, zinc and oil	4.90
Raymond Burbank, spraying trees	3.00
S. G. Pease, nails	3.50
Frank Benson, threshing oats	1.00
Frank Bickford	1.00
F. W. Towne, supplies	2.94
L. E. Burbank, delivering Town Farm hay ..	9.54
Reuben Fenderson, supplies	1.08
W. M. Meserve, hauling oats from Town	
Farm	2.00
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	\$464.77

Orders Drawn.

Highway, summer, 1910	\$ 21.00
Highway, summer, 1911	8.58
Highway, summer, 1912	2112.73
Highway, winter, 1910-11	6.00
Highway, winter, 1912-13	366.92
State road, 1910-11	12.20
State road, 1912	824.88
Cutting bushes	174.03
Brown tail moths	376.76
Memorial	14.20
Parsonsfield and Kezar Falls libraries	50.00
Parsonsfield Seminary, income Piper fund,	462.50
Parsonsfield Seminary, State aid	500.00

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Hydrants	150.00
Lighting streets of Kez or Falls	100.00
Grading road to Roberts Corner	200.00
Four roads leading from Cornish and Wake- field Station	400.24
Abatements	53.12
Schools	3259.49
School house repairs	156.63
Text books and supplies	145.56
Town officers	650.00
Miscellaneous	278.22
Support of poor not on Town Farm	770.85
Town Farm	464.77

\$11,258.68

Town Farm Receipts.

L. E. Burbank, oxen	\$200.00
W. W. Burbank, use of oxen .....	.75
L. E. Burbank, cows	132.50
Rufus Allen	16.70
W. W. Burbank, hay	20.00
E. E. Guptill, apples	21.70
W. G. O. Ridlon, use of pasture	7.00
W. M. Meserve, oats	20.54
L. E. Burbank, oats	2.45
L. E. Burbank, hay	73.88
L. E. Burbank, ice	5.00
W. G. O. Ridlon, plank and can	1.62
H. B. Pratt, oat straw	15.00

\$517.14

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Inventory of Town Farm, Feb. 20, 1913.

16 tons hay, at \$18.00	\$288.00
15 M. shingles	41.25
10 cords wood, fitted	50.00
4½ bags beans	10.00

HARRY B. PRATT,

L. E. BURBANK,

W. G. O. RIDLON,

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor.

SCHOOL REPORT

Members of the Committee.

A. S. Davis, M. D., term expires 1913.

P. W. Benton, term expires 1914.

J. H. Merrill.

W. C. McCue, Secretary (ex officio.)

School Calendar.

Spring term of nine weeks opens April 21, closes June 20.

Fall term of twelve weeks opens Sept. 2, closes November 21.

Winter term opens December 8.

Superintendent's Report.

To the School Committee and Citizens of Parsonsfield:

Mr. Chairman:—During the year some little trouble and annoyances have arisen concerning the conveyance of pupils. This has been caused, I believe, on account of a misunderstanding in regard to the law governing this phase of the school work. Judging from the numerous requests for conveyance, it was apparently understood that if a pupil lived a certain distance from the school the Committee was obliged to furnish conveyance, whereas no such spec-

fications are given, as will be seen by a perusal of the law covering this subject, Chapter 15, Sec. 2. The Superintendent of Schools in each town shall procure the conveyance of all Common School pupils residing in his town a part or the whole of the distance to and from the nearest suitable school for the number of weeks for which schools are maintained in each year when such pupils reside at such distance from the said school as in the judgment of the Superintending School Committee shall render such conveyance necessary. **Provided, however,** that the Superintending School Committee may authorize the Superintendent of Schools to pay the board of any pupil or pupils at a suitable place near any established school, instead of providing conveyance for said pupil or pupils when in their judgment it may be done at an equal or less expense than by conveyance. In order for the pupils to either complete the Common School branches, or to receive sufficient training to enter the more advanced courses at the Seminary, it is necessary to have a Common School year of at least thirty-three weeks. Since the cost of conveyance and teachers' salaries both come from the same fund, it is impossible for the Committee to grant the numerous requests for conveyance from all parts of the town, and still maintain an adequate school year. As a way out of the difficulty, the Committee has made the following rule: Conveyance will be granted to pupils whose school has been discontinued, to pupils living at least two miles from school, and to pupils living at least one mile from school if they are on a conveyance route already established for others. The Committee would gladly furnish conveyance to all the pupils if

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they had the means, although walking has always been regarded as one of the most healthful of exercises. It is fully realized by them that whatever rule is made, there will still be some dissatisfied, and as it is impossible to make arrangements to please everybody, and still maintain an efficient school system, it is earnestly desired that the parents will endeavor to appreciate the situation and not make matters worse by berating the Committee on every occasion, and your Superintendent, who would like to live his allotted years, also timidly suggests that you "let up" on him a wee little bit. He would gladly furnish bicycles if he had the means.

Because of the large increase in the number of pupils at Kezar Falls, it was necessary to engage a second teacher. As a result, much more satisfactory work can be done in the different grades. At the request of the parents of the Fenderson District, their school has been reopened with an enrollment of twelve pupils. The interest and progress manifested in this school during the winter term have been good.

As a direct result of the Teachers' Training Class at the Seminary, a much better grade of work is being done than is usually found in rural schools. An excellent opportunity presents itself for building up an exceptionally fine Common School system in Parsonsfield. By broadening the scope of training given to these teachers at the Seminary, and afterwards co-operating with them in their school work, both by the assistance of a trained teacher working one hour a week in each school, and by a "Round Table" each

month of all these teachers at the Seminary, the present day demands for vocational training in elementary schools could be readily met. I hope that in the near future a beginning may be made in this line.

Several much needed repairs have been made during the year, but there are still others which should receive prompt attention. The outbuildings of some of the schools should be thoroughly repaired and cleansed. Some are in a very dilapidated condition and unfit for use. This is especially true of the buildings at East Parsonsfield.

Judging from the size of the fuel bills for this school, perhaps it would be more economical for the town to thoroughly and stoutly repair these buildings and furnish them with **good padlocks**, than it would be to let them remain as they are.

There is little doubt that the old fashioned box stove used in the schools, is the source of many colds and resultant illness among the pupils. It is extremely difficult to secure anything approximating an even temperature with these stoves. To properly warm the rear of the room requires excessive heat in the front where the stove is located, and as no provisions have ever been made for proper ventilation, it requires the constant attention of the teacher to keep the air free from a vitiating and, at times, nauseating condition. A simple and by no means expensive remedy for this excessive and poorly distributed heat would be to enclose the stove in an iron jacket about four feet tall, having the lower edge six inches from the floor. With an air space between the stove and jacket twelve inches wide, a circulation of warm air is readily created, permeating the whole room. Ex-

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cellent ventilation can be secured by inserting in the stove funnel, where it enters the chimney, another funnel, extending to the floor with an opening at the lower end permitting the escape of impure air. A sufficient supply of fresh air comes from doors and windows.

INSTRUCTIONS TO TEACHERS.

Be in your school room at least fifteen minutes before the opening of each session. Do not foster habits of tardiness in your pupils. Example is better than precept. Do not vary school hours without permission from the superintendent.

For opening exercises have responsive reading of the Scriptures and repeat the Lord's Prayer.

Post conspicuously your order of exercises and follow closely each day. Each child has a right to its allotted time. Do not become interested in one class to the expense of another. Hold to your schedule.

Read to your pupils at least one good book each term. Please do not read the "Best Sellers" for your own enjoyment, but some thing from standard authors which will tend to cultivate in your pupils a taste for good literature.

Organize a School Improvement League and improve your school surroundings.

Cooperate with your fellow teachers in maintaining a Parent-Teacher's Association.

All school entertainments must be under the control of teachers, who will be held responsible for proper conduct.

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Your desk is supplied with Kern's "Among Country Schools" and Dinsmore's "Teaching a District School." Be sure to read these important books. Subscribe for some helpful educational magazine. Do not "put pupils back." Before advancing them confer with the superintendent.

In rural schools pupils must not choose their own studies.

Teach the proper care of text books.

Require written excuses from parents for all absences and dismissals.

Notify truant officer of truancy at once.

Above the third grade send report cards to parents twice each term.

Corporal punishment may be resorted to in extreme cases of discipline but NEVER strike a child on the head.

Do not teach during recess period but supervise the playground.

At close of each term send PROMPTLY to the superintendent your register correctly and neatly filled out with ink.

The success of a school depends more upon the teacher's individual efforts and freedom to arrange the details of the work as she deems best than upon the rigid adherence to any prescribed course of study. The following outline is given merely as a guide to those teachers who may wish to know the customary amount of work done in the different grades.

READING.

Grade I. For the first six weeks teach the read-

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ing of thirty or more familiar words from board using script. After which use readers provided for first grade continuing board drill throughout the year. Give daily phonetic drill using Ward's Manual.

Grade II. Use second grade readers. Continue phonetic drill. Aim for natural and intelligent reading and teach short memory gems.

Grade III. Use third grade readers. Give continued close attention to phonetic drill, memory gems and intelligent reading, tested by daily oral reproduction.

Grade IV. Use fourth grade readers. Pay close attention to position, clear articulation and correct expression.

Through the remaining grades in connection with the required readers encourage the use of suitable library books for home reading. Inspire your pupils with a love for and appreciation of the best in literature, having them memorize selections of prose and poetry from standard authors. Instruct your pupils how to use the dictionary intelligently.

In the upper grades, have pupils read each week from the "Current Events" paper, also give oral reports of important events.

ARITHMETIC.

Grade I. Teach combination of numbers from 1 to 10 second half year. No text book.

Grade II. Combinations of numbers to 25, multiplication tables 2, 3, 4 and 5. No text book.

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Grade III. Combinations to 144, tables 6-12, inclusive. Spring term use Wentworth's Elementary Arithmetic to Chapter III.

Grade IV. Complete Wentworth's Elementary Arithmetic.

Grade V. Begin Wentworth-Smith's Complete, advancing to fractions.

ARITHMETIC.

Grade VI. Use Wentworth-Smith's Complete to Longitude and Time.

Grade VII. Use Wentworth-Smith's Complete to Direct Taxes.

Grade VIII. Use Wentworth-Smith's Complete to Powers and Roots.

Grade IX. Complete and review.

GRAMMAR.

Grade IV. Emerson & Bender, Book I to Part II.

Grade V. Emerson & Bender, Book I completed.

Grade VI. Emerson & Bender, Book II. to Page 60

Grade VII. Emerson & Bender, Book II to Part II

Grade VIII. Emerson & Bender, Book II to Page 250.

Grade IX. Complete and review.

GEOGRAPHY.

Grade IV. Tarr & McMurray's Elementary Geography to page 90.

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GRADE V. Complete Elementary Geography.

Grade VI. Tarr & McMurray's Advanced Geography to Page 103.

Grade VII. Tarr & McMurray's Advanced Geography to Page 247.

Grade VIII. Complete Advanced Geography.

READING.

Grade VII. Elementary. Frequent reading with oral and written reproduction.

Grade VIII. Advanced. Use topical method.

Grade IX. Complete Advanced History at end of Fall term.

PHYSIOLOGY.

Grade IX. Elementary. Frequent reading with oral reproductions during Fall term. Advanced during the Winter and Spring terms, using topical method.

SPELLING.

Throughout the nine grades diligent attention should be given to both oral and written spelling. Use Sanborn's Complete Speller following closely the suggestions given to teachers for the proper instruction in each grade.

WRITING.

Teach the Palmer Method of business writing. To obtain the best results, it is necessary for teachers

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to make diligent study of the Palmer Methods' pamphlet, with which each desk is supplied. Insist on neatness in all written work of the pupils both at board and desks.

Teach the forearm muscular movement giving heed to the proper position of the body and neatness of all exercises.

The following is a list of text books, not indicated above, for use in the common schools:

Brook's Readers	Grades I. to IX.
Baker Carpenter's Readers	Grades I. to IX.
Cyr's Readers	Grades I. to IX.
Baldwin's Readers	Grades IV. to IX.
Ward's Readers	Grades I. to IV.
Carpenter's Geographical Readers	Grades VII. to IX.
North America, South America, Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia.	
Chamberlain's Readers	Grades V. to VII.
How We Are Fed, How We Are Clothed, How We Are Sheltered and How We Live.	
From the Old World to the New	Grades IV. to V.
Supplementary Geography	Grades IV. to V.
Birds and Their Nestlings	Grades IV. to VI.
Bible Readings (For opening exercises.)	
Gulick's, The Body and Its Defenses	Grade IX.

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COMMON SCHOOLS.

Balance	\$ 178.87
Appropriation	1200.00
Common School fund	789.09

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Mill Tax	850.69
Ministerial fund	40.00
Tuition, Cornish	128.00
Tuition, Newfield	29.50

\$3216.15

Expenditures.

Salaries	\$2317.49
Conveyance	756.85
Janitor	71.75
Fuel	113.40

\$3259.49

Balance overdrawn \$43.34

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Receipts.

Appropriation	\$150.00
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Expenditures.

Amount expended	\$145.56
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Balance \$4.44

REPAIRS.

Balance	\$ 57.38
Appropriation	250.00

\$307.38

Expenditures.

Amount expended	\$156.63
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Balance \$150.75

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT.

Supt. William C. McCue, Cornish Me.,

Dear Sir:—

I herewith submit my third annual report of Parsonsfield Seminary.

Owing to the fact that our regular catalog was not published last year, I shall endeavor to state clearly here just what the school is offering in its curriculum.

As will be noted in the catalog for 1910-1911 three regular courses were offered, College Preparatory, General English and Teachers' Training Course.

In the fall of 1911-12 so few students registered in the Latin class of the College Preparatory Course, that it was felt an absolutely necessary economy by the trustees to discontinue these classes until at least eight college preparatory pupils should register. This was considered a particularly necessary step in view of the extra work required for the proper handling of the Domestic Science and Agricultural classes, for which the school receives a special appropriation of \$500 from the State. This subsidy indicates in part the strong desire on the part of the State to encourage all such work, particularly in the rural communities.

Thus it will be seen that the only change in the College Preparatory Course has been the omitting of Latin, and in every other respect, as to its English, History, Mathematics, French and Political Economy, it is of college preparatory grade. This, I am free to say, works an injustice on those who are taking the more practical courses, and should not be bound

down by the dull, dry requirements in present-day college English and History.

In addition to this work of a college preparatory nature largely, the Seminary offers strong, practical courses in Agriculture, Botany, Zoology, Commercial Arithmetic, Teachers' Training, Physics and Chemistry. The last two named courses have especially fine laboratory equipment.

In Agriculture, all students take the work the first year which serves as an introduction to their later work in agriculture and other sciences. The second, third and fourth year work, for the present, has to be more or less combined, but includes the study of the principal breeds of horses, cows, sheep, swine and poultry, of their feeding and care. Farm crops are studied, and raised for use in the dormitory. Orchard work is taken up and methods of pruning and spraying are considered, also grafting and budding. A young orchard of forty trees has been set out, and the old trees on the school property are being cleaned up and put in shape. Soils and fertilizers are studied, the raw chemicals are bought and the students mix them for the various crops.

The best rations for the various farm animals are worked out, and applied, so far as possible, with the school live stock. A careful record of the individual milk yields is kept, which is hoped will influence the students to the same practice at home. A separator has been installed, and the students will be instructed in its operation and use, and full instruction as to the testing of milk for butter-fat content will be given.

In short, it is hoped to utilize all the points in the

farming business of the community for the increase and diffusion of practical agricultural knowledge. We have hopes of a stronger and more enthusiastic interest in this work from the farmers of the town.

The Domestic Science department has a finely equipped kitchen, separate from the dormitory kitchen; and a very complete assortment of utensils gives each girl an opportunity to actually participate in the work. This course is handled by a trained teacher, who also has the full management of the dormitory, and applies the work of her classes to the running of the same. The work continues throughout the four years with one two-hour laboratory period per week for each class. Each part of the work is carried out by the individual student, and all work is repeated until the class is able to produce good results.

Simple dishes are made the first year, and instruction in the use of weights and measures given.

Starches and sugar with the principles and methods of cookery are studied thoroughly. The students learned about steamed mixtures, soups, eggs, vegetables, scalloped dishes, cakes, salads, gelatine dishes, preserving, pickling, making of jellies, and perform the work. Last fall over sixty quarts of sweet corn, produced on the farm, were canned by the Domestic Science class, for use in the school dining room, to say nothing of the preserves, jellies and pickles. A very practical and helpful end is served in this way.

A study of meats and fish is made and the student learns the best cuts and kinds, how they should be cooked to best advantage, and also gains some idea of the relative costs and food values.

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All the points that can possibly contribute to better standards of living, and to more economical practices in the home are considered.

In the Manual Training classes instruction as to the use of all the common tools is given, with the idea in mind that no boy should go through school without some knowledge of simple carpentry and repairing. It is planned to eventually have practical instruction in the building of pens, poultry coops and houses, cold frames and hot-beds, and other useful structures on the farm.

The Teachers' Training class has already demonstrated its usefulness. We point with pride to eight of our recent graduates now occupying positions in our local schools. Where before they would have assumed these positions with no previous training whatsoever, either in fact or sympathy, they now take up this work equipped with two years' study of teaching methods and practice. Our school superintendent heartily endorses this, and allows all students, completing the work with a rank of eighty-five per cent. or over, a certificate to teach in the town without passing any further examination. The girls are especially well qualified by having actual teaching practice in the local school, and their work at such times is observed and criticized by a trained normal teacher.

We feel that this course is strengthening and raising the standards of our village schools. It is not offered to give the idea that a full Normal training is unnecessary, but rather to supply better trained teachers to our community, where now the salaries

are entirely inadequate to secure teachers with Normal school preparation.

Finally, in support of our present curriculum, which is providing so admirably for the practical training of boys and girls, and to controvert any assertions that in so doing our standards are being lowered, I wish to quote from the annual report of the State Superintendent of Schools.

He says: "It would seem a wise policy for such schools (with a limited teaching force) to provide for the student preparing for college all that can be given without sacrifice of the claims of the large majority. Such a policy would not mean a sacrifice of scholarship standards. It should, in fact, raise the quality of the work done by the non-preparatory students, owing to the increased attention which they should receive. The assumption that a school that does not fit students for college is not a good school is unwarranted."

***"Again the tendency to regard a school holding a certificate privilege superior to its neighbor is an unfortunate one."

***"Without question the opportunity of many of the High schools of the State (and country academies and seminaries) lies in emphasizing the so called English course, adding strength and dignity to the subjects taught and serving the interests of the great majority of its students."

In a circular letter sent out to school officers of the State, Superintendent Smith says:

"It should be very plainly understood that a school is not required to offer college preparatory subjects in order to receive approval in the A class.

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The school authorities having in charge each school determine for themselves whether the demands of a school's particular constituency are such as to make advisable the incorporation of college preparatory work into the school's curriculum."

A few figures giving a comparison of the last two years may be of interest.

	1911-12	1912-13.
Number students registered.....	42.....	53
Number in actual attendance		47
Number of boys	17.....	29
Number of girls	25.....	18
	Boys	Girls
Graduated in June 1912	1.....	4
Fourth year class	2.....	5
Third year class	4.....	5
Second year class	10.....	2
First year class	12.....	6

DISTRIBUTION OF STUDENTS.

Maine	Newfield	3
Parsonsfeld	4 Cornish	2
North Parsonsfeld ..	12 Porter	2
South Parsonsfeld ...	2 Baldwin	1
East Parsonsfeld	5	—
West Parsonsfeld ...	1	8
Kezar Falls	1 New Hampshire	
Maplewood	2 Freedom	4
	— Effingham	4
	27 Madison	3
Massachussetts	Tamworth	1
Roxbury	1	—
Boston	1	12

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I would like to state that the cooperative boarding plan is working out equally well this year. The boys put in two hours work on the school farm three afternoons a week, all of which directly contributes to the upkeep of the dormitory and makes possible the low rate for board. At a recent meeting the trustees decided that any student who does not perform his share of the work, will be expected to pay on the basis of the old rate, and will not be given the benefit of the low board.

In closing I would express my sincere appreciation to all those who have so kindly cooperated in the work of the school, to parents, to friends, to teachers, and to students. And I would urge a still closer bond of sympathy and helpfulness between the community and the school. The school is here to serve the community, and for its development and usefulness the assistance of all is needed.

SCHOOL CALENDAR.

Mar. 14		Winter term closes.
		Spring Vacation.
Mar. 25	Tuesday	Spring term opens.
May 30	Friday	Memorial Day
June 6	Friday	Spring term closes.
June 8	Sunday	Baccalaureate Sermon.
June 9	Monday	Alumni Day.
June 10	Tuesday	Graduating exercises in afternoon.
June 11	Wednesday	Senior Reception.
		Respectfully submitted,
		ROLAND H. VERBECK,
February 22nd, 1913.		Principal.

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PARSONSFIELD SEMINARY.

Financial report for fiscal year ending July 15,
1913.

School Income.

State aid	\$500.00
State aid from the Town	500.00
57 per cent. of the Doe fund held in trust by the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.	2854.54
Piper fund from Town	412.50
Tuition	470.00
Piano rentals	39.00
Water tax	16.00
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	\$4792.04

Expenses.

R. H. Verbeck, teaching	\$1400.00
Clara G. Staples, teaching	700.00
B. M. Fenderson, teaching	500.00
Charlotte M. Nason, teaching	500.00
Elizabeth Leslie, teaching	450.00
Maude B. Varney, teaching	120.00
Text books	164.58
Fuel	141.55
Light	50.00
Janitor	100.00
School supplies	27.85
Prizes awarded	28.00
Printing	36.98
L. C. Leavitt, treasurer	50.00

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Miscellaneous expenses, (Commencement expense, book-keeping, telephone, post- age, etc.)	290.58
Interest	174.50
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	\$4734.04
Income	\$4792.04
Expense	4734.04
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Balance	\$58.00

Note: The amount of the Doe Fund in trust is \$116,962.62, which income is apportioned to the trustees of Seminary as follows, according to the conditions of the Bartlett Doe endowment. The Boston S. D. & Trust Co., receive 5 per cent. on the income collected: the balance is divided for the running expense of the school as follows:

30 to 40 Scholars	50 per cent.
40 to 50 Scholars	57 per cent.
50 to 60 Scholars	62 per cent.
60 to 70 Scholars	68 per cent.
70 to 80 Scholars	73 per cent.
80 to 90 Scholars	80 per cent.
90 to 100 Scholars	90 per cent.
100 Scholars	100 per cent.
based on average attendance for previous academic year.	

The balance unused for running expense is held by the B. S. D. & Trust Co., as a special fund which can be used for permanent improvements, building, repairs, equipment, library, laboratory, furniture, etc.

All expenditures must be approved by the Execu-

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tive Committee of the Board of Trustees and the Board of Education of the Seminary.

SPECIAL FUND EXPENDITURES.

R pairs	\$483.72
Permanent Improvements	109.23
Library	99.23
Equipment	80.41
Insurance	172.60
Furniture and fixtures	173.17
Farm equipment, stock	148.50
Farm equipment, tools	115.06
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	\$1381.92

DORMITORY.

Receipts.

Board	\$1535.06
Room rent	673.41
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	\$2208.47

Payments.

Groceries and provisions	\$1467.15
Fuel	446.45
Light	184.17
Kitchen help	478.04
Janitor	243.00
Ice	19.80
Dormitory labor	27.42
Dormitory supplies	80.98
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	\$2947.01

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Payments	\$2947.01	
Receipts	2208.47	
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Loss		\$738.54

FARM.

Income

Milk, pork, eggs, poultry, hay and vegetables sold	\$639.01
Inventory	200.00
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	\$839.01

Expense.

Grain, fertilizer, etc.	\$366.55
Care taker, (Seminary janitor)	171.50
Labor	191.95
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	\$730.00

Income	\$839.01
Expense ..	730.00

Profit	\$109.01
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RESOURCES.

Land and buildings	\$46001.64
Doe Estates Co., stock	15856.00
Furniture and fixtures	5447.59
Library	1207.76
Labratory	739.22
Farm equipment, stock	543.50
Farm equipment, tools	325.24
Equipment	423.27

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Building material	266.75
Fuel, inventory	464.00
Farm expense, inventory	200.00
Groceries and provisions, inventory	169.36
Light, inventory	45.60
Cash	1227.55
Town of Parsonsfield	670.67
Maine State Treasurer	500.00
Accounts receiveable	326.99
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	\$74415.14

Liabilities.

Bills payable	2700.00
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Present worth	\$71715.14

I have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of Parsonsfield Seminary for the year ending July 15, 1912, and found them correct with proper vouchers.

FRANK S. PIPER,

Auditor.

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

SCHOOL	TEACHER	WINTER				SPRING				FALL			
		Weeks.....	Attendance.....	Average.....	Tardy marks....	Term salary....	Weeks.....	Attendance.....	Average.....	Tardy marks....	Term salary....	Weeks.....	Attendance.....
Kezar Falls	Mrs. Lilla Gentleman	11	24	18		\$93.50	10	26	23	5	80.00	11	19
Kezar Falls	Meda Nason												
Kezar Falls	Mrs. Lilla Gentleman	11	12	9	5	88.00	10	14	11	17	80.00	11	15
Elliott	Ellen H. Libbey												
Middle Road	Almira Frost	9	14	11	58	81.00	12	11	10	35	108.00	11	14
Middle Road	Marion G. Durgin												
North Road	Flora M. Miliken	11	17	13	6	99.00	12	23	17	7	108.00	11	14
North Road	Hattie Mathews												
North Road	Hazel Hasty	11	9	8	19	77.00	10	11	10	7	70.00	11	9
Maplewood	Hazel Hasty												
Maplewood	Gertrude Wentworth	11	20	15	43	77.00	10	18	14	19	70.00	11	24
E. Parsonsfield	Lillian Burbank												
E. Parsonsfield	Ethel Weymouth	11	27	22	23	77.00	10	40	30	21	70.00	11	29
W. Parsonsfield	Estelle Weymouth	11	11	9	24	77.00	10	9	8	14	70.00	11	10
W. Parsonsfield	Lyle Harmon												
Kezar Falls Grammar	Rita Batchelder												

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM C. McCUE.

Vital Statistics from the Town Records

BIRTHS 1912.

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Feb. 15		Male	Harry Sanborn	Elizabeth Hill
Mar. 8		Female	Alonzo Bickford	Lillian M. Pendexter
Mar. 23		Male	William J. Chesley	Clara E. Nason
Apr. 6	Reta	Female	Lewis H. Smith	Sadie Wescott
Apr. 13	Evelyn Louise	Female	Lawrence Stacy	Belle Sawyer
Apr. 13		Female	Herbert Kitteridge	Florence E. Davis
May 10	John W.	Male	W. A. Garner	Bertha M. Ridlon
May 26	Viola	Female	Howard Hammond	Effie Kimball
July 31	Merl Kenneth	Male	Fred W. Morrill	Annie Fenderson
Aug. 15		Male	Arthur E. Dudley	Della M. Merrill
Sept. 27		Male	Charles Weeman	Grace E. Tarbox
Oct. 9	Paul Mansfield	Male	Wilbur M. Meserve	Annie Chadbourn
Oct. 18	Warner F.	Male	Warner Watson	Grace F. Watson
Nov. 2	Margaret Louise	Female	W. O. Batchelder	Cora M. Kezar
Nov. 6		Male	James Moore	Lillian Thurston
Nov. 9		Male	Thomas Taylor	Bessie L. Wormwood
Nov. 10		Male	Arthur Lane	Clara A. Sanborn
Nov. 18	John Francis	Male	Harry L. Burbank	Sophronaea Dunnells
Nov. 29		Male	Elmer E. Day	Ramona Bickford
Dec. 23	Cora Marsha	Female	Ernest C. West	Ivie C. Taylor

MARRIAGES 1912.

Date	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride	Residence	By Whom Married
Feb. 21	Porter, Me.	Marshall H. Towle Mary E. Cartland	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. J. R. Remick, Cornish, Me.
Mar. 10	Effingham, N. H.	Thomas B. Henderson Airie E. Wheeler	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. W. V. Gratton, Effingham, N. H.
Apr. 6	Parsonsfield, Me.	Elmer F. Day Ramona E. Bickford	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. Cyrus E. Brown, Parsonsfield, Me.
Aug. 17	Parsonsfield, Me.	Alton C. Wyman Annie Maud Weeks	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. Frank C. Potter, Cornish, Me.
Aug. 19	Effingham, N. H.	Lester G. Downs Eva B. Nutter	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. W. V. Gratton Effingham, N. H.
Sept. 14	Parsonsfield, Me.	Edward Lawrence Etta Rosemond Merrill	Effingham, N. H.	Rev. L. A. Wentworth, Parsonsfield, Me.
Nov. 27	Parsonsfield, Me.	Walter F. Ward Annie Elizabeth Cochrane	Freedom, N. H.	Geo. E. Davis, J. P., Parsonsfield, Me.
Nov. 23	Newfield, Me.	Ernest L. Dearborn Florence Ruby Boynton	York, Penn.	Parsonsfield, Me. Newfield, Me.
Nov. 25	Effingham, N. H.	Ralph Myron Stacy Bessie Luella Meloon	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. W. V. Gratton Effingham, N. H.
Nov. 26	Parsonsfield, Me.	Fred L. Weeks Annie M. Biffin	Parsonsfield, Me.	Rev. Andrew J. Eastman Lynn, Mass.
Dec. 23	Parsonsfield, Me.	Vernon H. Stanley Mildred E. Brooks	Saugus, Me.	Rev. W. H. Cotton, Waterboro, Me.
Dec. 25	Parsonsfield, Me.	Everett C. Fox Hattie M. Wilson	Porter, Me.	Rev. L. A. Wentworth, Parsonsfield, Me.

DEATHS 1912.

Date	Name	Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Jan. 16	Hulda B. Stevens	76	10	26
Jan. 30	Marland E. Kent	0	6	4
Feb. 3	William H. White	64	0	20
Feb. 10	Comfort Burleigh	80	6	6
Feb. 13	Martha E. Taylor	55	2	4
Mar. 23	Mrs. John Libby	64	0	0
Mar. 25	Kenneth V. Roberts	1	8	3
Mar. 28	Eben Bisbee	41	9	27
Apr. 4	Howard E. Merrill	1	3	28
Apr. 10	Mary A. Smart	75	0	0
Apr. 12	Jennie M. Pease	33	0	4
Apr. 12	Elina M. Banks	83	0	9
May 2	Harriet E. Pease	79	6	28
May 2	Evelyn L. Stacy	0	0	20
May 4	Isabel Shackford	56	1	0
May 11	Christopher Smith	84	8	28
May 18	Fannie M. Brown	63	3	9
June 29	Elisha Smith Wadleigh	81	6	27
Aug. 5	Hiram V. Fernald	56	0	0
Oct. 6	Jane Y. Wedgwood	88	9	26
Nov. 1	Belle M. Witherell	59	1	6
Nov. 13	Sarah J. Edgcomb	75	9	0
Dec. 13	Wesley L. Merrill	50	7	10
Dec. 31	Charles F. Sanborn	77	3	19

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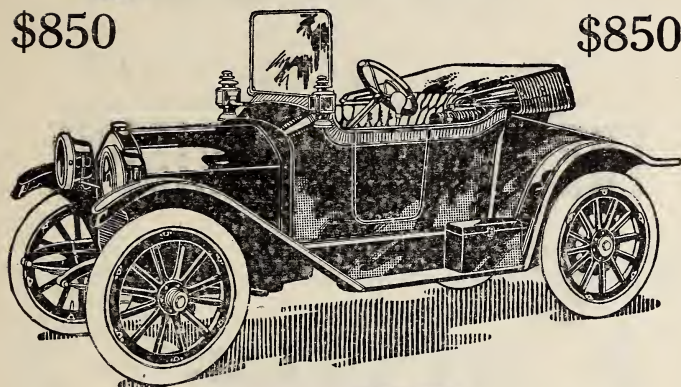
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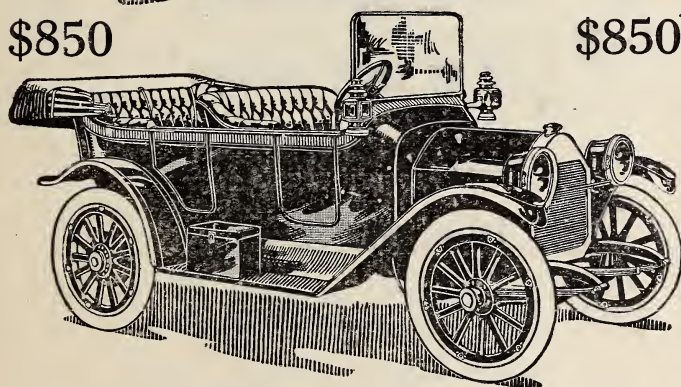
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